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DEATH ENDS LIFE OF R. R. BUILDER

JAMES J. HILL AMERICA'S GREAT
PIONEER R. R. BUILDER
CALLED.

DEVELOPED GREAT N. W.

Was an Humble Laborer in Early
Days, Rose to Position of Great
Financier.

St. Paul, May 29.—James J. Hill, railroad builder, capitalist and the most widely known figure of the northwest, died at his home here at 9:30 this morning as the result of infection due to bowel trouble. Mr. Hill was unconscious for nearly 12 hours before he died. Two physicians together with the immediate members of the Hill family were at his bedside.

James J. Hill discovered "the breadbasket of the world" in the Great Northwest; he led in its development from a wilderness into what now comprises six wealthy states dotted with 400,000 farms; and he blazed a trail for transportation which reached eventually from Buffalo to Asia, with a total mileage of rail and steamship facilities that would nearly girdle the earth.

That but roughly spans the story of his achievement.

Near Guelph, in Ontario, where James J. (erome) Hill was born in 1838, the son of an Irish-Canadian farmer who died when the boy was 15, there stands a tree stump labeled: "The last tree chopped by James J. Hill."

It marked the lad's resolution, to go to the United States. He had been prompted by an odd incident. According to the story that is told, a strange traveler had stopped at the Hill farm to take dinner, and left his horse at the gate. Young Hill saw the animal was tired and carried it a pail of water. The stranger was pleased with the lad's thoughtfulness, and as he drove off he tossed him a newspaper from the United States, and called out gravely:

"Go there, young man. That country needs youngsters of your spirit." Hill read the paper carefully. It contained glowing accounts of opportunities in the States. He resolved to investigate for himself. It was the next morning that he chopped his last tree.

As a mere roustabout lad of 18, he toured from Maine to Minnesota. When in 1856, he disembarked from a Mississippi river packet at St. Paul that place was a frontier town of 5,000 inhabitants. At the sign of W. J. Bass and Co., agents for the Dubuque and St. Paul Packet Company, he found a job as both stevedore and clerk.

In the fifteen years that followed he seized every opportunity to study the whole problem of river transportation. He gathered no end of experience and a little capital with which he launched his own firm of Hill, Griss and Co., which promptly displayed its initiative by bringing the first load of coal that had ever been seen in that section into St. Paul. Two years later, with a flatbottomed steamer he established the first regular communication with St. Paul and the Manitoba ports of the fertile Red River valley.

At about that time St. Paul was having its first experiment in railroad building. Eighty miles had been laid to St. Cloud, 316 miles to Breckenridge, both of which terminals were at the southern end of the Red River Valley, ended in that same indefinite spot. This venture ran up a debt of \$33,000,000 and collapsed with its only assets being "a few streaks of rust and a right of way."

Hill had had sufficient success in the region to be seized with a consuming desire to purchase the default property. After five years of financial dickering, including the sale of all his other interests, which netted a fortune of \$100,000, he and a syndicate of three others—Sir Donald A. Smith, George Stephen, and Norman W. Kittson—obtained the object of this desire.

The St. Paul, Minnesota and Manitoba railway was formed to operate the property, with Hill as general manager. When in 1883 Mr. Hill was elected president he undertook the

extension of the road from its Dakota and Minnesota homestead to the Pacific ocean. He was confronted by three great competitors to the south, each of which had received big bonuses as government aid, whereas the "Manitoba" or the Great Northern, as it came to be known, did not have a dollar of government subsidy or an acre of grant to forward its progress from the Minnesota boundary to the sea.

In this light, Hill's plan was widely deemed pure folly, but he pressed it to conclusion by building and populating as he went. For several years he laid rails westward at the rate of a mile a day, and at a cost of \$30,000 a mile, and as he went he left a trail of embryonic farms by the roadside.

With the line to Puget Sound once laid, he turned empire builder. He introduced the livestock industry into vast areas of bunch-grass plains, and developed them by importing blooded stock; he sent demonstration trains through the country with men who showed the people how to raise more wheat to the acre; he made an outlet for the grain by establishing a cheap rate by rail and steamship to Buffalo where he built great elevators; in fact for upwards of 20 years he left nothing in his power undone to develop the country where he had staked out his claim as the great common carrier.

But at the Pacific tide-water he was not satisfied, for he saw in the Orient still further opportunities. He organized a fleet of Pacific steamships for the commercial invasion of Japan and China. Japan at the time wanted steel rails, but proposed getting them from England, as the rates were less. It is related that when John W. Gates, the steel magnate of Chicago, came to Hill with the proposition of getting American rails to Japan, the latter replied:

"I will make you a rate of \$8 a ton from Chicago or Pittsburgh to Yokohama. If that is too much, I will carry it for the axle grease used on the locomotives and freight cars; and if you can't stand that, I will carry your freight for nothing."

At the \$8 rate named, the American manufacturer was enabled to secure the Japanese contract.

The same tactics were adopted in

INDIANA TO SEND BIG FAIRBANKS DELEGATION

BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZING IN ALMOST EVERY STATE FOR ROOSEVELT.

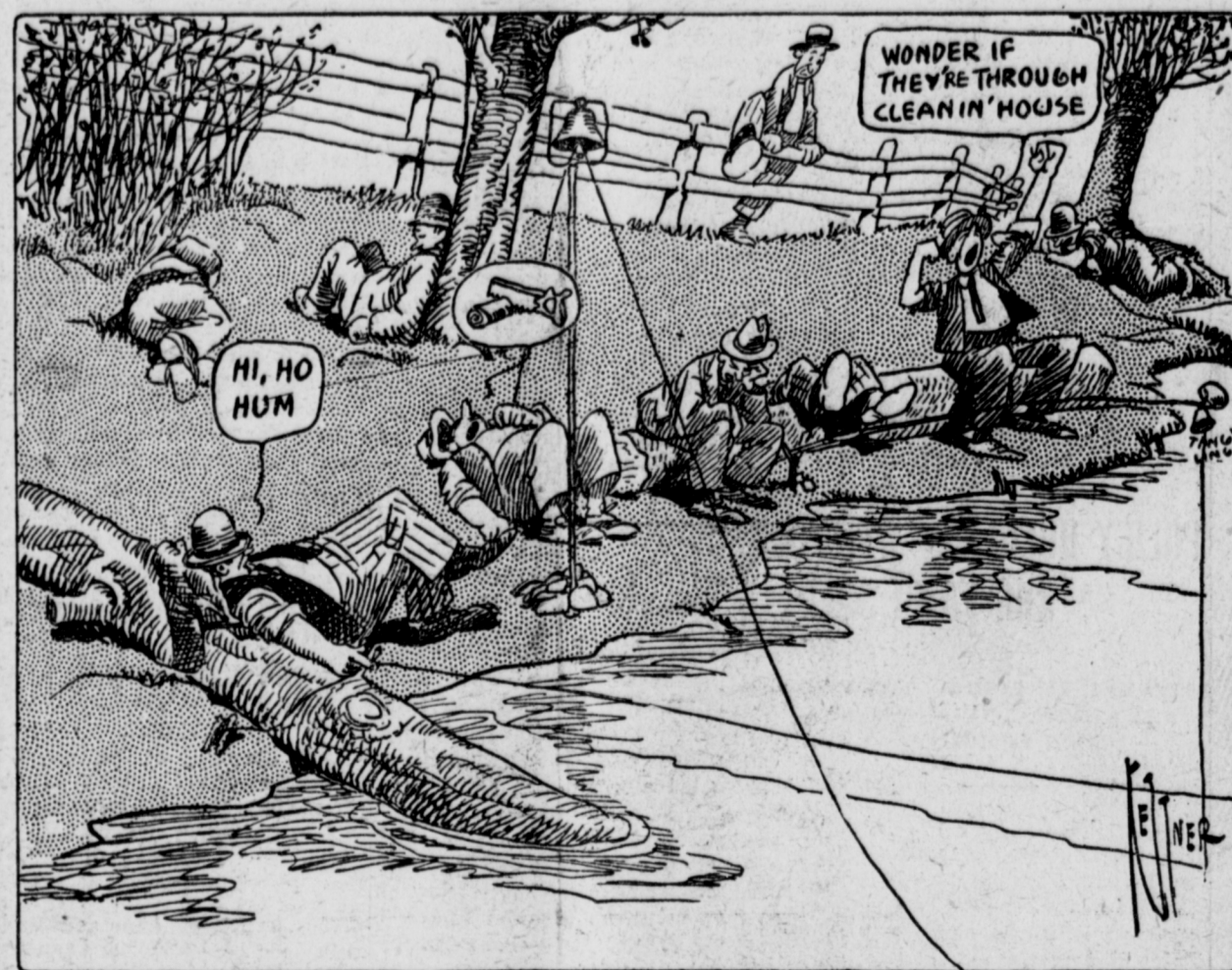
Chicago, May 30.—Completion of an organization of business men in every State in the Union pledged to use their influence to induce delegates to the Republican National Convention to vote for Theodore Roosevelt as the party's nominee for President, was announced today by Herbert L. Satterlee, acting manager of the Chicago Roosevelt headquarters. J. Ogden Armour is head of the Roosevelt Business Men's Organization in Illinois. The organization of the entire country by States was begun in New York eight days ago and is a purely volunteer movement, Mr. Satterlee explained.

It is expected the business men will render effective aid in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Iowa, Wisconsin and other States which have "favorite son" candidates for President in influencing delegates to support Roosevelt as a second choice in the convention.

Managers of the Hughes, Roosevelt, Fairbanks, Weeks and Root campaigns have turned their attention to the contests over delegates which will be heard by the Republican National Committee beginning June 1. There are forty contests involving the seats of sixty-two delegates.

The Marion Club, of Indianapolis, one of Indiana's leading Republican organizations, will come to Chicago on a special train next Monday to boom Fairbanks for President. There will be 1,000 members in the party, according to Ralph A. Lemecke and Charles W. Jewett, who were here today arranging for accommodations for the club. The organization was formed in 1888 to boom Benjamin Harrison for President at the Republican National Convention held in Chicago, and have not attended a national gathering of the party since.

SPRING FEVER CAMP



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HURLES KNIFE AT COL. ROOSEVELT

THREE INCH BLADE STRIKES
SECRETARY McGRATH WHO
WAS WITH T. R.

PREPAREDNESS WARNING

Points out Country's Helplessness
Against Invasion By a Strong
Foe.

Kansas City, Mo., May 30.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt, came to Kansas City today and in several speeches sounded an appeal for preparedness, declaring vigorously for universal training based on universal service. In his principal address at Convention Hall, he departed from his set speech to say a facetious word about Mexico.

He carried his warning that there was a war peril in pacifism to all classes. His first message was to a group of children that had gathered to greet him. It was "prepare." A few moments later he spoke to a street crowd from the lobby of his hotel. He told them to prepare. At noon, a guest of the Commercial Club at luncheon he sounded another appeal.

Untoward Incidents.
"It has been said," he declared, "that the West is not interested, because it would not suffer from the war. I know that is a lie. I would shrink as from a plague from an American who would say that he does not care what happens to another American. Lofty words are poor companions if they cannot be translated into deeds."

There were several untoward incidents during Mr. Roosevelt's visit. A pocket knife was thrown at Col. Roosevelt's motor car during the Memorial day parade and it struck the arm of John W. McGrath, the former President's secretary, and fell to the running board of the car. McGrath tonight said there was no force behind the knife, and he believed some one had tossed it toward the car as a joke. Col. Roosevelt was told of the incident tonight, and afterward his secretary issued this statement:

"Col. Roosevelt regards the matter as an entirely trivial incident and feels that no weight should be attached to it."

Blade Three Inches Long.
The secretary was riding in the front seat of the motor car. Suddenly a knife with one blade measuring about three inches, struck his arm a glancing blow. The knife slipped to the ground, where Ernest Shell, a member of the American Legion, escorting the former President, picked

it up and handed it to a policeman. The officer, whoever he was, had not reported the incident tonight, and the knife had not been recovered.

Another incident was the arrest in the lobby of the Hotel Muehlbach of a man who said his name was Edward McDaniel and his home at Tulsa, Okla. He declared he had business with Col. Roosevelt and tried to force his way past the police. The police still were holding the man tonight, but no charges had been placed against him.

Sees Danger of Attack.
Convention Hall was filled with a cheering crowd, each person waving a small flag when the Colonel entered. A portion of the hall had been reserved for the men of the Blue and the men of the Gray, and it was principally to them that Col. Roosevelt directed his remarks.

"We are told that we enjoy peace with Mexico," he said, in speaking of the republic to the south. "Eighteen years ago we had a war with Spain. The number of Americans killed in Mexico during this peace with Mexico surpassed the number of Americans killed by Spain in the war with Spain, and when this war was through it was through, whereas peace continues to rage with unabated violence along the Mexican border."

Coming to the question of an invasion of American shores by a foreign force, he declared that if an army half the size of that which attacked the Dardanelles should invade this country America would be at its mercy.

The former President declared that those who assert that there is no danger of the United States ever being attacked are either ignorant or forgetful of the multitude of examples which show how international conflicts arise.

New Europe After War.
"After this war we shall see a new Europe, energetically developing means of meeting new problems," said Col. Roosevelt.

"If under these circumstances, we take refuge in formulae dug out from the past, instead of developing these principles so far as to meet the future, we shall be as foolish as if we were to arm our soldiers with flintlocks and send them against machine guns."

"The time for flintlock theories of statesmanship is past."
Col. Roosevelt urged the nation to "beware of the false prophets"—professional pacifists, who, he declared, do not serve high ideals.

Two years ago these "false prophets" said there would never be another war, the Colonel said, adding, "Let us not be misled again." Even should peace come in Europe tomorrow, he declared, it ought not to affect American preparedness.

Urges Second Navy.
Pointing out that the Canal Zone, Alaska and various islands must be defended, Col. Roosevelt called attention to the transportation of Russian troops from Eastern Siberia to France and of the concentration of allied

troops at the Dardanelles, as illustrations of the speed and safety with which great masses of soldiers can be moved from great distances. The Colonel again urged the "second navy of the world" and a regular army of 250,000 men with a proper reserve.

A system of universal training for universal service would be one of the biggest things ever done in this country to preserve our democratic institutions in spirit and in fact, the Col. declared. He again urged industrial preparedness.

BROTHER OF EMBASSADOR DIES UPON BATTLEFIELD

London, May 31 (2:52 a. m.).—Lieut. Gerald Spring-Rice, the younger brother of the British Ambassador to the United States, Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, has been killed in action. He was 52 years of age.

OHIO COUNTY YOUTH KILLED BY MULE

HENRY WITHROW IS KICKED ON
MONDAY EVENING, DIES AT
THREE A. M. WED.

Henry Withrow, age 15 son of Henry Withrow deceased, who resided with his step-father, Mr. Sam Bilbro of near Matanzas this county, while unhitching a mule late last Monday evening was kicked in the stomach from the effects of which he died at about three o'clock Wednesday morning.

Burial took place on Wednesday afternoon.

REPRESENTATIVE LANGLEY FAVORS HUGHES AT CHICAGO

Washington, May 31.—Representative John W. Langley, delegate to the Republican National Convention, will leave today for Pikeville. He and Mrs. Langley will go from there to Louisville, where they will join the party of Kentucky Republicans that will leave Sunday for Chicago.

"It looks like Hughes to me," said Mr. Langley. "My notion is that Kentucky Republicans will support him as the presidential nominee after the delegates compliment Mr. Fairbanks."

MCCRACKEN TO VOTE ON \$400,000 ROAD BONDS

Paducah, Ky., May 28.—Petitions requesting the County Judge to call an election to vote on \$400,000 worth of bonds for county roads are being circulated. As soon as the required number of signatures are secured the petitions will be filed with the County Judge. The vote will be taken at the regular election in November.

If the bonds are ordered by the voters the money will be expended under a commission. The roads would be constructed under State aid.

EX-CONFEDERATE RAIDER IS DEAD

COL. MOSBY, FAMOUS SCOUT,
PASSES AWAY IN NATIONAL
CAPITAL.

WAS INTREPID LEADER

Most Brilliant Exploit Was Capture
of Gen. Stoughton at Fairfax
Courthouse.

Washington, May 30.—Col. John S. Mosby, one of the most famous Confederate raiders of the Civil War, died here today after a long illness. He was a native of Virginia and was 82 years old.

Col. Mosby's death, his physicians said, was due solely to old age, and he was conscious and interested in what was going on about him until an hour before he passed away.

Until six months ago, when he went into a sudden decline, he was a familiar sight about the streets of the capital, apparently vigorous despite his age. He will be buried at his ancestral home at Warrenton, Va., probably Thursday and some survivors of his noted command will be his pallbearers. His death on Memorial day was affecting to many.

It was said that he never took part in veterans' reunions because twenty-two years ago, when he attended one of his command at Alexandria, Va., he was so overcome with emotion he was unable to speak. Some sisters, a son and daughter survive him.

Col. Mosby, dated death over fifty years ago when at the head of a band of a few hundred Confederate raiders he rode up and down the Shenandoah Valley, capturing outposts, destroying supply trains, and cutting off means of communication. It has been estimated that he often neutralized the force of over 15,000 Federals in the valley.

Born in Powhatan county, Va., December 6, 1833, and graduated from the University of Virginia in 1852, he was practicing law in Bristol, Va., when the war broke out and he began his career in the Confederate army. He proved his daring with such effect that he became a scout for Gen. J. E. B. Stuart and led the celebrated raid around McClellan's army on the Chickahominy. In Richmond a year later he recruited an independent cavalry troop which became famous as Mosby's Partisan Rangers. They became night riders and the terror of the Federal troops.

Mosby's most brilliant exploit was the capture of Gen. Stoughton. On a March night in 1863 he, with thirty followers rode through the Federal army to Fairfax Courthouse, only fifteen miles from Washington, where Gen. Stoughton was asleep. Although surrounded by an army said to have been 17,000 strong, the Rangers calmly kidnapped the General, his staff and many sentries, and turned them over to the Confederate authorities at Culpeper without having lost a man.

Gen. Grant once later saved Mosby from hanging, and two foes of the battlefield became staunch friends. Mosby stumped the State of Virginia for Grant during his presidential campaign, and was rewarded with an appointment as Consul at Hongkong, a post which he held for seven years.

When he returned to the United States Mosby called on the surviving members of his Rangers and, to his astonishment, he found that a large percentage of them had become ministers. In parting their old Colonel said: "Well, boys, if you fight the devil like you fought the Yankees there will be something to record on Judgment day."

He next became special land agent for the Government in Colorado, and from 1904 to 1910 he was an attorney in the Department of Justice. The closing years of his life were spent in lecturing and authorship. His home lay across the Potomac, at Warrenton, Va., but he was often seen in Washington, his white hair and strong Roman features making him a picturesque figure on the streets or lecture platform. He had written "Mosby's War Reminiscences," "The Dawn of the Real South," and "Stuart's Cavalry Campaign." He was also known as a Greek scholar. "My military creed," he once declared, "is this: It is better to make a good run than a bad stand."

HILLES ON SCENE OF G. O. P. SHOW

ARRIVES IN CHICAGO TO GET
READY FOR THE BIG JUNE
THE 7TH.

12,400 TICKETS ISSUED

Chicago Local Committee Charters
Steamer Theodore Roosevelt
For Delegates

Chicago, May 26.—Charles D. Hilles, chairman of the Republican National Committee, arrived in Chicago today and will remain until after the National Convention of the party June 7.

The 12,400 tickets for the convention were received from the printer by Secretary James B. Reynolds during the day and plans were made for their distribution. The tickets will be counted, checked and put up into bundles and then placed in a safety-deposit vault. Thursday, June 1, the 2,210 tickets set aside as Chicago's share of the convention city will be turned over to Fred W. Upham, chairman of the local Committee on Arrangements, who will distribute them among the persons who subscribed the \$100,000 fund raised to bring the convention to Chicago.

Sunday June 4, Secretary Reynolds will deliver the delegate and alternate tickets and badges to the different national committeemen for distribution. The press tickets will be distributed Monday, June 5.

William A. Venerable, principal of the Lincoln-Lee Institute and secretary of the Civic League, composed of 2,000 negroes, has prepared the following resolution which they will ask the Republican National Convention to insert in its platform:

"Resolved, that we, the representatives of the party of Lincoln, Grant, Sumner and McKinley, pledge our sincere efforts to be speedy elimination, by special Federal enactment of any legislative act inimical to the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the Federal Constitution."

Chicago, May 23.—Arrangements were made by the local Committee on Arrangements for the Progressive National Convention today to charter the steamer Theodore Roosevelt and convert it into a floating hotel for the accommodation of delegates and alternates.

The steamer is to be anchored in Lake Michigan at the foot of Congress Street and will cruise between 2 a. m. and 8 a. m. The boat will accommodate several hundred delegates.

The Auditorium Theater will be tastefully decorated for the convention. Red, white and blue streamers will be draped about the boxes, the organ will be concealed by standards of American flags. A blue background with flag decorations will ornament the stages. Arrangements were made today for the seating of 300 working newspapermen in the press section.

Will My Child Take Dr. King's New Discovery?

This best answer is Dr. King's New Discovery itself. Its a pleasant sweet syrup, easy to take. It contains the medicines which years of experience have proven best for Coughs and Colds. Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery longest are its best friends. Besides every bottle is guaranteed. If you don't get satisfaction you get your money back. Buy a bottle, use as directed. Keep what is left for Cough and Cold insurance.

RETURNING SOLDIER'S
WIFE ELOPES, SUICIDES

Dresden, May 29.—A sensational tragedy has caused great excitement in the aristocratic and fashionable circles of the Saxon capital. Capt. Kurt Von Herder, former adjutant of King Frederick August, returned to his home from the western front on a short furlough. Two hours later he was found dead with a bullet in his brain.

The captain was a great grandson of the famous German poet, Gottfried Herder, and possessed large means. Several years ago while in Berlin, he made the acquaintance of Miss Adriaan a school rider who appeared in a circus under the name of Adrienne von Holstein. He fell in love with the dashing beauty and became accepted suitor. Shortly afterward he was appointed adjutant to the King of Saxony.

In the fall of 1912 he obtained a long leave of absence and went to Cairo, where he married the circus rider.

When the officer informed the king of his "mesalliance" and asked forgiveness the ruler sanctioned his marriage by telegraph and asked him

to remain in the service. On his return to Dresden the captain's beautiful wife was received with open arms by society and presented and honored at court.

Then the war broke out. The captain re-entered the army and went to the front. He fought in the east and west and earned the iron crosses of the second and first classes and the Saxon gold medal for bravery. During the first year of the war he exchanged letters with his wife every week. Last fall, the letters he received from home became scarce. His wife only sent a few cold lines three or four weeks and in February she stopped writing altogether.

Tormented by jealousy and dark suspicions the captain finally asked for a furlough of a few days and hastened home. When he arrived in Dresden he found the villa in charge of a single servant, who informed him that his wife had eloped after selling everything that she could turn into money. The captain then shot himself.

Clear Skin Comes From Within.
It is foolish to think you can gain a good clear complexion by the use of face powder. Get at the root of the trouble and thoroughly cleanse the system with a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Gentle and mild in action, do not grip, yet they relieve the liver by their action on the bowels. Good for young, adults and aged. Go after a clear complexion today. 25c at your druggist.

POLICY HOLDERS ARE TO BE SUED

ATTEMPT TO FORCE THEM TO
PAY DEATH CLAIMS AGAINST
OLD COMPANY.

Louisville, Ky., May 29.—A strenuous legal fight to determine whether the policyholders in the old Equity Life Insurance company, a Kentucky corporation, which went into the hands of a receiver about two years ago, may be compelled to make good losses in death claims amounting to about \$101,000, seems inevitable from the preparations now being made in this city and in Frankfurt by opposing sides in a controversy of great interest to insurance people.

The story of the present trouble is found in a letter written by J. W. Jeffers, receiver for the Equity Life Insurance company, with headquarters in Frankfurt to all the policyholders, advising them that under a certain clause in the policies issued by the corporation before it failed, he has the right to levy an assessment of ten per cent against the policies in order to raise a fund large enough to pay off the death claims.

Receipt of this letter threw policyholders into a state of consternation and yesterday a conference was held, at which a special committee was appointed with instructions to employ counsel for the defense of the policyholders.

To the Public.
"I have been using Chamberlain's Tablets for indigestion for the past six months, and it affords me pleasure to say I have never used a remedy that did me so much good."—Mrs. C. E. Riley, Illion, N. Y. Chamberlain's Tablets are obtainable everywhere.

WIFE TOO ILL TO WORK

IN BED MOST OF TIME

Her Health Restored by Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound.

Indianapolis, Indiana. — "My health was so poor and my constitution so run down that I could not work. I was thin, pale and weak, weighed but 109 pounds and was in bed most of the time. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and five months later I weighed 133 pounds. I do all the housework and washing for eleven and I can truthfully say Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been a godsend to me for I would have been in my grave today but for it. I would tell all women suffering as I was to try your valuable remedy."—Mrs. Wm. Green, 322 S. Addison Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

There is hardly a neighborhood in this country, wherein some woman has not found health by using this good old-fashioned root and herb remedy.

If there is anything about which you would like special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

SUBMARINE CAPTRIN HAS NO EASY TIME

LIFE UNDER THE WAVES HARD
FOR THE CREW IN TIME
OF WAR.

Like Brer Rabbit, submarines find it necessary to "lie low an' say nuffin," at times. During these "lying-low" periods an under-sea boat sleeps the sleep of those who wear the crown. Peril is her bedfellow, and mischance is ever ready to creep in.

X-00 discovered this when she started for the surface to look around for an opportunity of doing business. Soon after they were "switched on" her motors began to run badly and a series of uncomfortable jerks gave the craft a "jumpy" motion.

"Something around the propellers, think, sir," reported an artificer. "Bad luck," exclaimed the commanding officer. "We'll try her again."

And they did. Backward and forward surged X-00 in a fruitless endeavor to free herself from the obstruction. The trouble grew worse, not better.

"No help for it. We must go up and have a look," reluctantly decided the "C. O."

Now, going up in such circumstance was like taking a blind plunge into danger. One could not tell what might come along, and a submarine awash with her screw "seized up" counts among the most helpless things afloat. However, the risk had to be taken, and X-00 presently heaved her long gray back out of the water, like a huge crippled fish, and lay upon the surface inert.

"Fouled a mine, sir" came from the men who had gone aft to investigate. Ugly news this. It brought a shade of anxiety to the "C. O.'s" face. The mine must be cleared, or it would make an end to the boat. But the job was a tricky one. There was imminent risk of the mine exploding while being cut away, and that meant the funeral of X-00 and every one in her. Very deftly and cautiously the bluejackets went to work, and at last had the relief of seeing the hawser part and the mine go harmlessly away. Still, troubles were not at an end. One stretch of wire had become so tightly wound round the propeller that it could not be cleared, and the boat was consequently unable to steam.

What to do in this awkward predicament was the question. Looking around him, the "C. O." espied a trawler in the distance, and he promptly decided his course of action.

"Get out the boat and fetch that chap and we'll make him give us a tow," said he to his "sub."

In a few minutes the submarine's little Berthon was making for the trawler. This was taking another risk, because in these days trawlers are not always the innocent craft they seem. And this particular one might be as inoffensive as she appeared outwardly or she might not. All this was in the minds of the "sub" and his men as they pulled toward the ship and in the minds of those left in X-00 as well. But the chance had to be taken.

However, luck was with those who ventured, as it so often is. The trawler proved to be only a harmless fishing craft—and German at that. So far from being desirous of destroying anything her only thought was for her own safety, and she tried to insure this by flight. But the "sub" and his boat's crew were too quick for her and they very soon had her heading for X-00, to which a hawser was run and the "tow" began.

You are not to suppose all this occurred as simply as it is narrated. Just picture the feelings of a German skipper obliged willy-nilly to convert his ship into a tug and take one of the hated English submarines back to the safety of its own harbors. Of all salvage jobs this was the last he would have undertaken willingly. Being a wise man, however, he accepted the inevitable and tried no tricks, while in their tolerant British fashion X-00's crew agreed that the trawler's men were "not bad chaps," and established fairly amicable relations with them. After the "tow" had been in progress some few hours a British destroyer hove in sight and flew up to investigate.

"Hallo, old chap, what's up with you?" quoth her Captain to X-00's commanding officer, who forthwith told him the whole story.

"Well, I'll pick you up now," said the Captain. "What about them?" indicating the Germans.

"They've behaved quite decently," and I'm inclined to let them go," replied the "C. O."

The matter was debated, and finally it was decided that as a reward for their good behavior the Germans should be cast loose. "Make them

sing us a song first," suggested the "sub." "Very well, tell him," and the "C. O." nodded toward the skipper. "Muster your hands and sing us the 'Hymn of Hate' and then we'll let you go," said the "sub" to the skipper, who gasped with surprise at hearing this unexpected request.

"Wouldn't something else do? We know lots of songs we'd rather sing for you than the 'Hymn of Hate.' We don't hate you," he remarked naively.

"Oh, no," replied the "sub," who was enjoying the fun of the thing, "we must have the 'Hymn of Hate.' We've heard so much about it that we want to know what it sounds like."

Finding nothing else would do the skipper lined up his crew by the bridge and they solemnly sang the "Hymn of Hate" to their vastly amused audience. So delighted were the British tars that they insisted upon an encore, which the Germans gave—and then they were sent off with a cheer.

Bowel Complaints in India.

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa, churches a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventive and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable everywhere.

TAKES GIRL AS WIFE, DOES KIDNAPPER LOVER

MARRIES ABDUCTED GIRL AFTER
HAVING BEEN ARRESTED,
PLACED UNDER BOND.

The impatient, impetuous and impassioned courtship of Christofale Evola, 323 South Preston Street, who startled Louisville Wednesday by his sensational abduction of Miss Lena Passantino, culminated yesterday when the lovers were married by the Rev. George W. Schumann, Clay and Walnut streets.

Evola, who was arrested on a charge of detaining a woman, following his sensational exploit, was released from jail at 11 o'clock yesterday morning under bond of \$1,000. The bond was signed by Gasper Lintini.

His release followed conferences with friends of Miss Passantino, or Tino, as she is better known, who, it appears, was not averse to being kidnapped, after all.

Immediately after his release, Evola went to the Courthouse and obtained a marriage license. He was accompanied by John Passantino 612 East Market Street a brother of the girl, and his bondsman.

"Tino" Abbreviation.

The application for license developed the fact that Tino is an abbreviation of Passantino.

From friends of both families, it is learned that Evola's attentions were not unwelcome to Miss Passantino at any time. The breaking of the engagement about a year ago, it is said, was caused by objections of members of her family, instead of a change in the young woman's sentiments.—Louisville Herald.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

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Wise Father.

The wife of an Arab went to her father with the complaint that her husband had boxed her ears. The wise old sheik reflected for a few moments, then did to her as her husband had done. "Now, thou art avenged," he said. "Thy husband has boxed the ears of my daughter and I have boxed the ears of his wife."

OWENSBORO DISTRICT CONFERENCE NOTES

The Owenboro district conference, M. E. Church, South, met at Lewisport last week, with all members present, except Rev. McAfee, who was unable to attend, on account of illness of his father.

The following list of delegates were chosen to attend the Louisville conference, which convenes at Franklin, Ky., Sept. 1st, 1916: Judge John B. Wilson, Hartford, Alex Hill, Owensboro, B. H. Lott, Lewisport and G. W. Johnson of Greenville. The alternates were Ed Lamar and W. C. Martin.

E. M. Kellor, S. H. Sands and S. H. Burnham were licensed to preach.

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DIDN'T USE WORD "INCORPORATED"

TEN OWENSBORO BUSINESS CONCERNS SUED BECAUSE WORD NOT IN ADS.

For an alleged failure to use the word "Incorporated" in advertisements, Commonwealth's Attorney Smith late Thursday afternoon filed petitions in circuit court against ten corporations doing business in Owensboro and Daviess county, seeking to recover a flat judgment of \$500, or an aggregate sum of \$5,000. These suits are filed under a special statute which requires all corporations advertising in a daily newspaper of general circulation to use the term "Incorporated," after the style of the corporation is named.

It is alleged in the petitions that the following corporations failed to comply with the terms of the statute as indicated and a recovery of \$500 is asked against each: Owensboro Wagon company, Mullen and Haynes company, Glenmore Distilleries company, Owensboro Paint and Glass company, Owensboro Motor Car company, The T. J. Turley company, the Mayhew Milling company, Westerfield Furniture company, the Ames Motor Car Company and the Central Motors company. The cases are set for trial at the September term.

Attorneys for a number of the firms sued by Mr. Smith expressed themselves as being satisfied that the offenses named by Mr. Smith were not sufficient for him to secure the judgments asked. In case the fines were assessed the commonwealth's attorney would get half of the amounts.—Owensboro Inquirer.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Land Sale for Drainage Taxes.

By authority vested in me as sheriff of Ohio county, Kentucky, I, or one of my deputies, will offer at public sale, for drainage taxes due me, interest and costs herein, at the court house door in Hartford, Ohio county, Kentucky, on June 5, 1916, it being the first Monday of said June, 1916, the following described property, to wit:

Mrs. J. W. Mercer, 116 acres, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake in said Hartford and Goshen road 855 feet south of where said ditch crosses said road; thence south 40 W. 830 feet to a stake; thence north 67 1/2 W. 255 feet to a stake, corner between said Mercer and C. M. and E. T. Williams; thence with their lines N. 86 W. 2060 feet to their corner in said Carter's line; thence with said Carter's line N. 1960 feet to a gum; thence with said Carter's corner on Muddy Creek; thence N. 88 1-3 E. 2550 feet to a stake in said road; thence with said road to the beginning.

Of which 76 acres is assessed in

the second class at \$890.38, and 40 acres is assessed in the third class at \$389.64. Total assessment \$1,280.02.

The amount of assessments, interest and costs for the years 1914, 1915, and 1916 against above described property being: 1914, \$93.48; 1915, \$40.84; 1916, \$227.83. Other costs, \$11.00. Total \$373.15. S. O. KEOWN, Sheriff Ohio County.

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W. H. Williams, 115 acres bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake, corner between Fanny B. Barnes and G. A. Barnes; thence N. 81 1/4 feet to a stake; thence N. 2 3/4 W. 307 feet to a stake; thence N. 77 W. 600 feet to a stake; thence S. 64 1/4 W. 840 feet to a stake in the Hartford and Goshen road and in a line of Mrs. J. W. Mercer; thence with said road and said line N. 55 feet to a stake in said road; thence N. 65 1/4 E. 1970 feet to a stake in the line of J. F. Collins heirs; thence with said line to the beginning, containing 115 acres, more or less. Assessed in the first class at \$1,568.30.

The amount of assessments, interest, and costs for the years 1914, 1915 and 1916 against above described property being: 1914, \$114.53; 1915, \$52.86; 1916, \$273.95. Other costs, \$10.48. Total amount \$451.82. S. O. KEOWN, Sheriff Ohio County.

Notice.

Petition for change in Owensboro and Leitchfield road.

Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned citizens of Ohio County, Kentucky, and residents of said county and state, will on the 5th day of June, 1916, at the court house in Hartford, Ky., it being the first day of the regular June term of the Ohio County Court, file a petition in said court and move the Judge thereof to establish a public road, as follows:

Beginning at a stake in the Owensboro and Leitchfield road about 250 yards west of the I. C. R. R. trestle, near the residence of E. S. Dunn; thence in an easterly direction through the land of O. H. Kirk about 250 yards; thence in a southeasterly direction through the lands of O. H. Kirk and R. S. Lanham along the right of way of the I. C. R. R. about 275 yards to the Fordsville and Washington Station road at or near where said road crosses the I. C. R. R. In testimony whereof witness our signatures, this the 22 day of May, 1916.

B. J. PAYNE,
J. T. ESKRIDGE,
E. F. RICE,
DR. L. L. DENTON,
W. J. GREER,
J. P. CHEEK,
H. S. ROYAL,
O. H. KIRK.

And many others whose names appear on the petition. 4712

"Will I recover, Doctor?" inquired the pedestrian who had been run over.

"Surest thing you know!" replied the ambulance surgeon. "The fellow who owns the auto is a millionaire."

ASSESSMENT OF KY. BANKS INCREASED

BANK AND TRUST CO. STOCK TO BE ASSESSED AT 100 PER CENT.

Frankfort, Ky., May 29.—Assessment of banks at 100 per cent on their capital stock and 80 per cent of the surplus and undivided profits will stand, State Auditor Greene told a delegation of bankers who appeared before the State Board of Valuation and Assessment today, urging a reduction to 80 per cent on their capital stock, where it stood before.

Auditor Greene said his whole effort was made to ascertain the true value of the property and the board has no authority to attempt to equalize bank property with any other kind.

May Affect Railway Cases.

The bankers contended that 80 per cent of capital, surplus and undivided profits, as shown by their books, actually represents all the value, and the statement of Auditor Greene that the board is assessing at what he considers 100 per cent of the actual value may be used by the State in the railroad franchise tax cases in the Federal Court here.

Judge Cochran is scaling down the franchise assessments to 60 per cent, stated that the Board of Valuation and Assessment frankly had equalized the banks at 80 per cent; but both the banks and the board, for the first time, are asserting that it is not an arbitrary attempt to equalize, but to ascertain the correct value for taxation without reference to the percentage at which other kinds of property are assessed.

New Point of View.

The bankers presented a new point of view today, when it was stated that the value of railroads probably will be ascertained by capitalizing their incomes at 7 per cent. The banks make an average of 9 per cent earnings on their aggregate capital stock of \$37,000,000; but when the earnings are applied to the surplus and undivided profits of \$22,000,000 as well, they amount to only a little more than 4 per cent of the whole.—Courier Journal.

Bad to Have a Cold Hang On.

Don't let your cold hang on, rack your system and become chronic when Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will help you. It heals the inflammation, soothes the cough and loosens the phlegm. You breathe easier at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a laxative Tar Syrup, the pine tar balsam heals the raw spots, loosens the mucus and prevents irritation of the bronchial tubes. Just get a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey today, its guaranteed to help you. At druggists. 1

Mexico in the Early Eighties.

An American who lived on the Mexican border in the early '80s says that Hachita and Shakespeare were the lively camps in those days. To get into the United States involved a stage journey by way of Santa, N. M., or Tucson, Ariz., and through a dangerous country frequented by Apaches.

"When I arrived there Shakespeare was the rendezvous of rustlers, cow punchers, miners and Mexican outlaws. The principal saloon of the

place was Roxey's and veteran Judge Graves administered the law at Roxey's bar.

It was customary for the Apaches to steal stock from settlers north and south of the Mexican border, running cattle, mules or horses from the U. S. into Chihuahua and Sonora and across the San Simon to the Chiracahuas and by trails known only to themselves, going across the range to Tombstone. Frequently they stole Mexican cattle and ran them over to American side.

"Another stronghold of the rustlers was about 25 miles west in the Chiracua mountains, not far below the Dos Cabesas, and on one occasion they took me with them across the San Simon Valley and through a wild pass called Cave Creek, at the head of which was a wonderful cave filled with dolomites and stalactites. It was an ideal hiding place for a band of desperate men, with a secret exit known only to a few on the other side of the mountain. This band had about 30 members, some posing as ranchers or as government territorial officials.

"Eventually Curley Bill and his immediate followers died as they had wished, with their boots on, and some of them did have dandy ones when in full dress—calfskin and patent leather, with high French heels. Some of the members of this band occupied good positions, but for one reason or another had sought to obliterate the past by joining Curley Bill's band.

"I saw the life literally scared out of a man once while I was in camp. In one of the customary rows when pistol shots were flying wildly a man crept behind a big log in the direct line of fire. The log was hit several times and bullets scratched the man behind. After the little unpleasantness was over his dead body was found with no sign of a fatal wound; he had died from heart failure caused from fright.

"Among Curley Bill's efficient assistants were 'Johnny-Over-the-Fence,' 'Cactus Bill,' 'San Simon Jack' and the kid whose father owned the Cienega water in the San Simon Valley. His adobe was reputed to be the rendezvous of the Mexican outlaws who were in cahoots with Curley Bill's band. When pressed by the Arizona and New Mexico authorities they jumped over the line into old Mexico, and when pressed by the Mexicans they jumped back into the Stein Pass holdout or Cave Creek stronghold.

As a rule they were cowardly fellows when alone, but brave when bunched. Some were duds. One was hanged, not for anything that he had done, but for trying to prove that he was a bad man. He was known as Russian Bill. With others he used to paint the town of Shakespeare red, spend money freely with Mexican girls, in gambling and in the saloons, especially Roxey's. Russian Bill was six feet tall, well proportioned, his jet black hair falling over his shoulders, his buckskins having \$5 gold pieces as buttons and his sombrero covered with silver work. He always carried two silver mounted sixshooters, was well supplied with money, which no one knew where he got it, for he never prospected or sold anything or stole. He would disappear for weeks at a time, and boasted of being one of Curley Bill's men, dropping hints of terrible deeds that he had done and men that he had killed. The better element of the town determined upon a vigilance committee, and on the night when Sandy King, a horse thief, came to town with a 15-year-old kid they were arrested and taken over to Smythe's corral, Russian Bill being gathered in on the way. Judge Lynch, assisted by Judge Graves, decided that Sandy had lived long enough, and after he had been permitted a farewell drink and a cigarette he was swung from a cross beam.

"Russian Bill fell on his knees, protesting that he was innocent of any crime, had been only a braggart, that he was a Russian nobleman and had fled from his own country because of a love affair. No one believed him and he shared the fate of the horse thief, but, strangely enough his story proved to be true, he having been supplied with money by his family through Silver City bankers.

"Some years later I returned to New Mexico, locating at Stein Pass, and the citizens elected me justice of the peace. I was known to the Mexican population as the Yankee Alcalde. My other constituents were miners, cowboys and ranchers.

"Whenever I read 'Oh, why should the spirit of mortal be proud?' I am reminded of a deputy sheriff who had been crossed in love, yet was full of sentiment and could sing a love ditty as well as any one. Tom's pet aversion was greasers, although he had lived among them for more than 40 years. I had sent to New York for a flag, and on the Fourth of July Tom and I flung the starry banner to the breeze. In anticipation of the event I had ordered from Los Angeles several hundred pounds of ice, lemons, pineapples, strawberries, bananas, oranges, powdered sugar and several bowls of gin brandy and champagne.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 2.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce TOM SPURRIER, of Grayson county, as a candidate for Congress, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Saturday, August 5, 1916.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of A. D. KIRK for the Republican nomination for county attorney of Ohio county. Subject to the action of the Primary Election, Saturday, August 5, 1916.

"United we stand; divided we fall" doesn't apply to everything.

Nothing has been heard from Mexico since the National Guard was ordered out.

We have been confidentially tipped that when a man marries he takes his wife in his arms and his life in his hands.

With Ohio county making such efforts to come alone what would she do with a bunch of boosters behind pushing?

No, Adolphus, a legion hat will get you no better standing with a legion chicken than any other lead. You just as well go "on o Panama."

How can you tell when a bug goes buggy? The same way you learn that a nut is nutty, he said, as he cranked his Ford and sneaked away.

No jury could be found to try the fellow who wears his girl's picture on the dial of his wrist watch because all would have expressed an opinion.

Stories by Mrs. Woodrow Wilson continue to be printed. If we were rich and had married into the White House it would be darn little anyone would read from this pen.

We don't know how many days will elapse before another president will be nominated, but it will only be 5 days until the convention meets which will name the next President.

The editor of the "Beads Oddly Strung" column last week wished for a change from the war news on the front pages in the form of murder or scandal. He didn't have to wait long.

Dr. Warren Waite goes to the electric chair for the murder of his parents-in-law and judging from newspaper accounts the sentence is just. With deliberate unconcern he confessed to the poisoning of his wife's father and mother and coolly gave details of the crime.

Governor Stanley's State Board of Equalization at Frankfort has informed County Clerk, Blankenship, that the assessment of Ohio County's farm lands and all mixed property has been increased 10 per cent for present year, and that the assessment of town lots has been increased 5 per cent. And the good old State grows deeper and deeper in debt every day.

We would like very much to know just what our good old Uncle Sam's troops are doing over in Mexico. What are they accomplishing? They do not appear to be scooping up many border raid bandits, but instead the State department puts in a lot of time haggling with Mexico's alleged representatives over their recall. We make this guess, and don't forget it either. Not long after the Chicago National convention has adjourned, the United States of America will send recall her punitive "puny" arms from the deserts of Mexico. This business of sending even this small army into Mexico is costing enormous sums of money, and so far as the average layman can see, is doing but little good. Our soldier boys should be turned loose or else be brought home, stationed along the border to keep those Mexican Devils out and protect the lives and property

of our Bandit ridden border Citizens. At the present writing we fear that politics is more thought of by the dignitaries of the old time proud republic than is good for the border land.

THE OVERTURE.

The stage scenery for the great Chicago convention is being placed in order. Members of the orchestra are cleaning their instruments, packing cases and preparing to gather for the grand overture June 7. There was a little row in the orchestra four years ago, over the leadership, and the once powerful musical combination that for so many years caused notes of prosperity to ring forth goes to Chicago as two separate organizations.

What the audience wants to know, is will they strike up the same tune? For several months individual members have trained the ear to the same tuning fork. Not a good thing to tune with, we agree, but a splendid noise to tune against. There will be no discords, therefore, if the leaders select the same music; the G. O. P. S. O. (Symphony Orchestra) will come into its own and be ready to march at the head of a victorious party.

Let's open up with; "Back to Old Anzion." The audience could resist. It wouldn't want to. With a mighty whoop we would rise to our feet and "join in de couse," while from St. Louis would come the strains of "Don't Take My Darling Boy Away."

MAY 30TH. NOT OBSERVED.

Last Tuesday was the day set apart by the Nation for the decoration of the last resting place of our departed loved ones, the custom really originated with the Grand Army of the Republic and United Confederate Veterans. As we now recall, the G. A. R. was the first organization to urge that the day be made a national holiday.

Decoration day has come to mean almost nothing to the people of this community, we do not know of any public gathering, any exercises worth mentioning, compared with the meetings held some 25 years back. We feel that the custom should have been kept up, not withstanding the fact that the old heroes, both those who wore the blue and those who wore gray, have almost all answered the last bugle call, have been mustered out of this life of activities and into that of the great beyond.

Yes, when they were here in great numbers, we remember in our boyhood days, the patriotic inspiring meetings, parades, songs, recitations and speeches. We feel that the observation of the day could have been kept up by the younger generation with much profit to the Country in a patriotic way. These services not only breed a desire for peace, but instill patriotism as well. Too many of us are giving more thought to business and personal pleasure, so much so that we rarely think of those who fought and died upon the fields of honor, to say nothing of those who by reason of the great struggle have since been placed prematurely in the bosom of mother earth.

We are much inclined to the opinion that it is not to the credit of the younger generation that decoration day is not observed as it once was.

GERMAN STEAMER SUNK BY TORPEDO, SIX LIVES LOST

Berlin, May 30 (by wireless to Sayville).—Six men were lost in the attack by a submarine on the German steamer Kolga, sunk in the Baltic on May 17, according to a dispatch to the Overseas News Agency today from Lubeck, where the survivors of the steamer have arrived. The dispatch declares that the Kolga was shelled after she had stopped and that the submarine launched a torpedo which sank the steamer as the crew was about to lower the life boats.

"The enemy submarine opened fire without warning and continued firing in spite of the immediate stopping of the steamer."

"The submarine appeared suddenly at a distance of 400 meters from the Kolga," says the dispatch, "the submarine firing a shot, which went wide, upon which the steamer immediately stopped. Notwithstanding this, one minute later a second shot was fired, which destroyed the bridge. The crew, only half clad, rushed for the life boats, while the captain ran into the cabin in an effort to rescue the ship's papers."

"The submarine fired two more shots, both of which struck the steamer. One sailor was wounded. Immediately afterward came a torpedo, although it could be clearly observed from the submarine that the crew was about to launch the life boats. The torpedo caused the steamer to sink immediately, the captain, both the helmsmen, the cook and two sailors perishing."

Furthermore, the torpedo was fired as the crew was about to enter the life boats, so that six out of nineteen sailors lost their lives."

REPUBLICANS IN PART VICTORIOUS

THIRTY SUBMARINES ADDED AFTER HARD FIGHT FOR BIGGER NAVY.

Washington, May 30.—Determined Republican efforts to enlarge the building program of the naval appropriation bill, as reported from the Naval Committee, resulted today in the adoption in the House, sitting as a committee of the whole, of an amendment increasing the number of submarines from twenty to fifty. Proposals to provide for six battle cruisers, instead of five, and to add two dreadnoughts and two scout cruisers to the program were defeated after a lively fight.

In order to finish consideration of the bill by the time fixed, 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, the House had a three-hour session today instead of recessing over Memorial Day, as usual.

So decisive were the votes against additional battle and scout cruisers that the bigger navy advocates virtually have decided to abandon the fight for them, but they still hope to get the two battleships. Another attempt will be made when the House returns to regular form on Friday.

Lost by Small Margin.

The battleship proposal was lost by the narrow margin of sixteen votes, 130 opposing and 114 favoring. Fourteen Democrats voted for the amendment and eight Republicans opposed it. Democrats supporting it were Lathicum, Coady and Price, Maryland; McAndrews, McDermott, Stone and Gallagher, Illinois; Lazaro and Dupre, Louisiana; O'Shaunessy, Rhode Island; Shirley, Kentucky; Tague, Massachusetts; and Farley and Driscoll, New York. Republicans voting in the negative were Mondell, Wyoming; Nelson, Wisconsin; Cramton, Michigan; Good, Green, Haugen and Ramseyer, Iowa; and Ellsworth, Minnesota.

The vote on increasing the submarines was 114 to 104, seventeen Democrats voting for it and no Republicans opposing. The additional undersea boats would be of the coast defense type, seventeen of which already were provided for by the bill. Many members who have been urging that it would be better to expend money on submarines than on battleships rallied to the support of the amendment after voting against the battleship proposal.

Daniels Is Present.

A vote of 109 to 83 defeated the proposal to construct six battlecruisers instead of five, and the vote vote against the proposal to increase the number from four to six was so overwhelming that a rollcall was not sought.

In opposing the proposed increase of battle cruisers, Chairman Padgett, of the Naval Committee, insisted that the Republicans originally planned to demand five such craft, but upon learning that the majority report recommended this number, they decided to insist upon six. Closing of debate at that point prevented an answer from Representative Butler, who is in charge of the bill for the Republican side.

Secretary Daniels was alternately on the floor of the House and in the galleries thruout the session.

F. W. PIRTLE, PROMINENT CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

Mr. F. W. Pirtle, an aged and highly respected citizen, passed away at his home 4 miles East of Hartford on Thursday morning, June 1.

Mr. Pirtle was in his 81st year, having been born on March 17, 1836 in Washington County, Ky., where he lived until he was about 12 years old when he, with his parents, removed to this county; he has continuously resided here.

Mr. Pirtle first married Miss Elizabeth Renfrow, to which union were born twelve children, 6 boys and 6 girls, eleven of whom lived to reach the years of maturity. Those who survive are, Mrs. J. A. Duke, Hartford, J. E. Pirtle, Versailles, Ky., Mrs. Frank Hayes, Whitesville, Dr. J. R. Pirtle, Hartford, Mrs. R. D. Nelson, Bandana, Ky., Mrs. Dr. McDowell and Mrs. Dr. J. D. Stewart, Dundee, R. L. Pirtle, Owensboro, H. M. Pirtle, and Mrs. T. P. Carson, Hartford.

Mr. Pirtle's second marriage, to Mrs. Ann Felix, took place about 7 years ago, his former wife having died two or three years prior to that date. The latter Mrs. Pirtle, together with one brother of the deceased, A. R. Pirtle of Owensboro and two half brothers, T. C. and George Pirtle of this county also survive.

Mr. Pirtle led an active and useful life. He was a Pioneer Methodist, having united with that church at an early age but at time of his death he was a member of the Hartford, M. E. Church South. He was at all times much concerned with the welfare of

the community, and was a strong supporter of co-operation. We feel that we can conscientiously say that his was a life well spent.

Funeral services will be held at home of the deceased at 10 o'clock, interment at Oak Wood, this morning.

HILLES PREDICTS BRIEF PLATFORM

TALKS OF PROBABLE ATTITUDE OF ROOSEVELT TOWARD REPUBLICANS.

Chicago, May 29.—Chairman Chas. D. Hilles, of the Republican National Committee, expressed the opinion that the platform which will be adopted by the National Convention next month would be unusually brief, and deal only with the most vital public questions. From information obtained in talking with party leaders on the subject he believes the principal planks in the platform will include the following:

A statement on Americanism.
A statement on preparedness for adequate military and naval defense.

A declaration in favor of a protective tariff to be prepared by a non-partisan tariff commission created by Congress, with special attention to the needs of the industries of this country after the close of the European war.

A declaration in favor of a merchant marine.

A statement dealing with the alleged shortcomings of the Democratic national administration.

On the question of national woman suffrage, Chairman Hilles said there was a difference of opinion among the party leaders and he did not know what action the convention would take on the subject.

Hilles Refers to T. R.

In speaking of the probable action of the Progressive National Convention, to be held June 7 in Chicago, simultaneously with the Republican National Convention, Chairman Hilles said:

"I imagine everybody assumes that the Progressives will nominate Roosevelt for President. If the Republican convention adopts a straightforward, sincere, ringing declaration of the vital public questions now being discussed, and nominates a man clearly equal to the important tasks which will confront the next President, Roosevelt might not think there would be any need of his entering the field. But if the Republicans nominate a man who Mr. Roosevelt thinks is a misfortune, and adopts a platform which he regards as 'bunk,' he may feel so outraged as to run, and perhaps help re-elect President Wilson."

Chairman Hilles denied a report that the organization had ever thought of attempting to force the nomination of a candidate for President the first day of the convention.

ARMOUR PLATE PLANT WINS BY BIG MAJORITY IN HOUSE

Washington, May 31.—Amendments to the naval appropriation bill to provide for an \$11,000,000 government armour plate plant, for \$3,500,000 instead of \$2,000,000 worth of aeroplanes, for 2,730 additional sailors, and a bonus system to encourage the speedy private construction of warships was adopted today by the house sitting as a committee of the whole.

Party lines were broken down on every vote. Twenty-three Republicans, and two Progressives joined the Democrats in voting for the armor plate proposal, the final vote being 165 to 91. Thirteen Democrats lined up with the Republicans on the additional aeroplane amendment, which carried 129 to 103. Other amendments were adopted overwhelmingly without roll calls.

The armor plate amendment, already passed as a separate bill in the senate, is centered largely around the question of whether the Bethlehem Steel Company, the largest private manufacturer of plate, had treated the government fairly.

For Sale.

51 acres of farming land for sale. Apply to L. C. BROWN, McHenry, Ky.
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CLERK HAS NARROW ESCAPE WHEN STORE IS DYNAMITED

Central City, Ky., May 31.—The company store of the Nelson Creek Coal Company at Nelson, six miles from Central City, was dynamited at an early hour this morning and considerably damaged. The Nelson post office is in the damaged building. Sam Maples, a clerk, was sleeping in the store, but escaped injury, according to J. B. Weaver, who is in charge of the company's business in the absence of President J. W. Bastin. The explosion occurred shortly after

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Parasols and Fans that will provide shade and furnish a pleasant breeze.


All sorts of hot weather pleasures have been provided here for you, and the price is insignificant when compared to the comforts and service derived from their use.

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Beaver Dam, Ky.

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1 o'clock. A brick was removed from the outside of the building and a bomb constructed of an iron pipe placed in the aperture. The wall was cracked, plateglass front shattered, showcases broken and stock and office fixtures damaged. Maples saw no one about the building when awakened by the explosion.

The Nelson Creek Coal Company is one of the associations which locked out its employees over the wage dispute. The company store has been dynamited and credit refused former employees. It was ordered to protect property during the strike. A few members of the Nelson Creek local protested to mine workers headquarters here, but a majority of the local voted that the property must be protected. The explosion is attributed to a disgruntled individual. President Robert Pollock, of the United Mine Workers, this morning telephoned to Sebrer for bloodhounds and will endeavor to find the guilty party. President Pollock does not believe any miner placed the bomb. J. H. Young, manager of the company store and President J. W. Bastin are on an automobile trip through the Bluegrass region.

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We are receiving some very attractive and exclusive styles in Mid-Summer Headwear.

We call your special attention to them, as the supply is limited and we are sure you will want one.

besides these specials, we are closing out many very attractive styles at a great reduction. Our season for buying is practically at an end, and we are not going to permit any of our stock to be carried over if price reduction will move them. If interested, it will pay you to investigate, as our stock at our price reduction will not last long.

BE WISE, shop at our store, and remember that

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FRIDAY, JUNE 2.

L. H. & ST. L. R. R. TIME TABLE.
No. 113 due at Ellimitch 8:32 p. m.
No. 110 due at Ellimitch 7:30 a. m.
No. 112 Lv. Ellimitch .. 3:40 p. m.
Ar. Irvington .. 5:35 p. m.
Lv. Irvington .. 5:56 p. m.
Ar. Louisville .. 7:40 p. m.
No. 111 Lv. Louisville .. 8:35 a. m.
Ar. Irvington .. 10:06 a. m.
Lv. Irvington .. 10:40 a. m.
Ar. Ellimitch ... 1:04 p. m.

M. H. & E. R. R. TIME TABLE.
South Bound, No. 115—
Due at Hartford.....8:45 a. m.
North Bound, No. 114—
Due at Hartford.....5:55 p. m.
(Both "Mixed Trains.")

Esq. B. F. Hudson of Beaver Dam, was here on Wednesday.

Mr. Wm. Schroeder, Olanton Route 1, was here Wednesday.

Mrs. Rowan Holbrook and daughter, Mariam, were in Owensboro last Monday.

Mrs. R. T. Hoover of Dyersburg, Tenn., is here visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Cecil Calvert of Centertown, who had an attack of appendicitis is recovering.

Mr. T. R. Barnard, popular cashier of the Island Deposit Bank was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Harry Hoover and wife of Central City, recently visited relatives in Hartford.

Mrs. J. Ney Foster of Elmira, Ark., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal P. Keown.

For first class meals, quick and excellent service stop at D. H. Tichenor's Restaurant.

Mr. C. C. Taylor of near Westfield, Ky., is very low and not expected to recover.

When you wish something good in the cigar or cigarette line go to D. H. Tichenor's place.

Mrs. Maggie Griffin returned from Bowling Green on Tuesday, where she had been visiting.

Dr. J. H. Austin of Morgantown, Ky., was here this week visiting the family of Mr. W. H. Parks.

Mrs. E. L. Duke and daughter, Mildred of Henderson, Ky., who visited relatives in Hartford and Ohio county last week have returned home.

Mrs. Otto C. Martin has returned from Leitchfield, where she had gone on account of the illness of her mother, who has recovered.

Al J. Barnett attended the commencement exercises and Alumni banquet of Vanderbilt Training School at Elkton, Ky., this week.

Mrs. Mary E. Ellis of near Hartford and Charlie her son, who resides in Sturgis, Ky., left yesterday for Washington, D. C., to visit relatives.

Dr. J. W. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Tichenor and Miss Susie May attended the funeral of Dr. J. D. Maddox in Owensboro yesterday evening.

Rev. T. C. Wilson, Louisville, Ky., was here recently visiting the family of Mr. R. H. Gillespie. Rev. Wilson will preach at the local Cumberland Presbyterian Church Monday evening, June 5th.

Misses Edith and Effie Duke of near Hartford, arrived home last week to spend the summer vacation. Miss Edith taught during the past year near Adairville and Miss Effie at Hazard, Ky.

Rough River Lodge, No. 110, K. of P., will hold memorial services at Oak Wood on Sunday evening, June 4th, at 3:30 o'clock. All members of the Order are requested to meet at Castle Hall at 2:30.

Mr. W. C. Overhuls, a former Ohio county boy, but now of Cedaredge, Col., where he is cashier of the First National Bank, arrived in Hartford yesterday to visit old friends and relatives here and in the county.

Mrs. S. O. Keown went to Louisville Wednesday returning Thursday. Mrs. Keown took Herma and Forest Mitchell to the Kentucky Orphans Home Society, where they had been committed by order of the Ohio County Court.

An interesting series of meetings were brought to a close last night at the Christian Church. The pastor S. E. Harlan has been delivering some strong and interesting sermons and much good has been done. A number were baptized on last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Heavrin and Miss Elizabeth Davidson, attended the commencement exercises of the Owensboro City High School last week. Earl Maxwell Heavrin, son of Dr. C. M. Heavrin accompanied Mr. Heavrin home for a short visit.

Best pure Hog Lard \$7.00 per can cash. Come and get your share before it is gone.

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Just received, a fresh stock of Beechnut and Heinz Bottled Goods. So good! ILLER'S GROCERY.

Mrs. Oppie Kittinger and children of Smallhouse, are visiting the family of Mr. P. B. Taylor here this week.

Messrs. Royce Igleheart, Wilbur Rhoads and Parke Taylor, students in K. S. U., are home for the vacation.

By using Ellis' Blue Ribbon Flour you can stock your kitchen with Aluminum cook vessels at wholesale prices. 48tf

There will be moving pictures at the opera house in Beaver Dam every Thursday and Saturday nights. Pathe service.

Misses Mattye Duke and Norine Barnett who have been attending Logan College, are home for the vacation.

Mr. Fred Cooper has returned home after an extended trip through Arkansas, Oklahoma, and other parts of the West.

Lightning struck a barn of Layton Williams of near Rockport, this county, on last Monday night killing four good horses.

Mrs. S. E. Bennett and daughter, Gussie, Mrs. Marvin Baird and W. H. Parks of Hartford, went to Owensboro, yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Griffin who has resided in Houston, Tex., for some years is visiting friends and relatives in this, her old home town.

Prof. Raymer W. Tinsley, instructor in modern languages, University of Mississippi, has returned here to spend the vacation.

Gilmore Keown, son of Sheriff Keown, left last Tuesday for Bowling Green where he has entered the Bowling Green Business College for the summer term.

Dr. Savage of Owensboro, will assist the Pastor Rev. B. W. Napier in a series of meetings at the M. E. Church here, beginning on the third Monday in this month.

Miss Hattie Glenn who has been teaching in the commercial department of the County High School at Holbrook, O., has returned home to spend the vacation with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sumnerman attended the Commencement exercises of the Ward-Belmont College, Nashville, Tenn., this week. Their daughter, Miss Winnie D. was one of the graduates from Ward-Belmont this term. Miss Winnie accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sumnerman home yesterday.

HAPPENINGS IN COUNTY COURT 117 YEARS AGO

FOLLOWING IS OHIO COUNTY'S
FIRST AND OLDEST COURT
ORDER.

July term, Tuesday 2nd., 1799.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly passed at Frankfort the seventeenth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, entitled an act for erecting a new County out of the county of Hardin, to be called and known by the name of Ohio County, at the house of Robert Moseley in the said county on Tuesday the second day of July in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, a Commission of the Peace from his excellency, James Garrard Esq., Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky bearing date the twenty second day of December in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, appointing Jesse Cravens Stephen Cleaver, Harrison Taylor, David Glen, Robert Barnett and Christopher Jackson Esqrs., Justices of the Peace for said County was produced and read, and the several oaths required by law was by the said Jesse Cravens, first named in the Commission, administered to the said Stephen Cleaver, and then by the said Stephen Cleaver to the said Jesse Cravens and then by the said Jesse Cravens to the said Harrison Taylor, David Glen, Robert Barnett and Christopher Jackson.

And thereupon a Commission from his said Excellency, bearing date at Frankfort, the 22nd., day of December in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, appointing Stephen Stateler Esq., Sheriff of the said County of Ohio was also produced and read, whereupon the said Stephen Stateler took the several oaths prescribed by law and together with Alexander Barnett, Ignatius Pigman and James Baird, his securities, entered into and acknowledged bonds conditioned as the law directs.

Whereupon William Rowan having produced a certificate as required by the constitution, was appointed Clerk of the said Court during good behavior and he having taken the oaths of fidelity and oath of office and together with Jesse Cravens, James Baird, John Douglas and John Rowan his securities, entered into bond in the penalty of ONE THOUSAND POUNDS, conditioned as the law directs and then a court was held for the said County; Present Jesse Cravens, Stephen Cleaver, Harrison Taylor, David Glen, Robert Barnett and Christopher Jackson, Esquires.
Ordered that court adjourn till tomorrow at 10 o'clock.
J. Cravens.

Thus the first County Court and therefore first county Government was established. Jesse Cravens Esq., by reason of being first named in the commission from the Governor was the chief Justice or rather held the position now occupied by the County Judge, as may be seen by the fact that he for some time signed all Court Orders.

The first Clerk of the County Court was appointed to serve during good behavior.

We have tried to copy the first County Court Order, word for word as recorded, thinking that it would be of general interest to readers of the Republican, as the first item ever recorded in the County.

New Law Firm.

Ernest Woodward and A. D. Kirk announce their formation of a partnership for the practice of law at Hartford, Ky., beginning June 1, 1916, under the firm name of Woodward & Kirk. Their offices will be maintained at the present office of Mr. Woodward, over William's Drug store at Hartford. Mr. Woodward is going to Henderson with his family but will be present at all terms of Circuit Court in Ohio county and assist Mr. Kirk in all business that be intrusted to this firm.

Cash Sale Friday and Saturday, June 2 and 3, at Her's Grocery.

100-lbs. Sugar	.....\$8.50
100-lbs. Hen Feed	.....\$1.25
1 bbl. Lime	.....\$1.25
1 bbl. Salt	.....\$1.50
1 bag Musale Shell	.....75c
1 box Crackers	.....7c per lb.
1 can Lard	.....\$7.25
1 bbl. Flour	.....\$6.25
2 boxes Oatmeal	.....15c
15c Apricots, while they last	.....10c lb.
Mixed Nuts	.....10c lb.
1 box Lemons, last chance	.....35c

Prisoner's Throat Slashed.

Washington, Ky., May 30.—When City Jailor Murphy made his rounds of the city jail today he discovered Michael Figan, 62 years old, on the floor of a cell with two deep cuts in his throat. A razor was near him. "I am tired of life," Figan whispered to the Jailor. He was taken to St. Elizabeth's Hospital.

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STRAY STREAKS.

(By Fluke McFluke.)

We understand that the Editor of this sheet started to Elkton, Ky., last Tuesday, but when first heard from he was in Owensboro and last heard from in Henderson; we lost sight of him altogether after he crossed the Ohio River.

The recent heavy rain made the ground too wet to work and Sam Keown slipped in home from Dawson Springs. Sam hasn't yet recovered his health and is likely to return, on dryer ground.

And just about the time we were talking about how well Gilmore was sticking to the farm work, he ups and decides that he needed to add to his education and off he goes to Bowling Green to enter school. This work stuff makes many a feller change his avocation and stamping ground as well.

Two of Hartford's Sportiest Sports went to Owensboro on last Saturday morning, the hour of their return is not very well known, as only a few people had gotten out of bed. They went in a Car called Jeffries, I think it was, don't know whether they returned in this automobile or a Ford.

These darned muddy rises, one right after another, are everlastingly ruining the fishing. We are considering moving to some Lake country where the water don't get muddled up with ever little shirt tail rainfall that comes along.

It is reported that Ed Moore and W. S. Tinsley missed Sunday School last sabbath. They made an excursion down the river and we have been told that they were seen by a friend of a friend of one of our friends, who told us, sneaking two oyster cans, some poles, a grubbing hoe and other paraphernalia into the boat. Wonder what they could have wanted with all that stuff on an ordinary Sunday excursion?

What makes these middle aged and up men sneak into a picture show with their hats well down over their mugs, pull for the front row of seats when there is protracted meeting going on in town?

The old codgers above and heretofore mentioned ordinarily drop into a seat in the rear, or well back when

they go to the movies and spend about half of their time gazing around at other men's wives. Some of these guys would look mighty good perched in the AMEN corners of a church during revivals, if very much out of place.

Man is a dicens of a queer animal. The K. P. Lodge meets every Tuesday night and Ed Barrass likewise pulls off his picture show on said same night. About 25 old cusses tell their wives that business of importance demands their presence at Lodge hall, yet the lodge doesn't hardly ever meet for lack of a quorum, so we have been told.

MURDER IS SLATED

Inquest Held, Murder Charged in Unheard of Manner.

Hartford City, Ind., May 30.—Coroner Charles Rutledge filed a report of murder with the county prosecutor today after he held an inquest into the death of Geraldine Stout, 8 years old, who while riding in an automobile yesterday with her parents, Dr. C. E. Stout and Mrs. Stout, was struck and killed by a bucket of corn hurled by Albert Thomas, 45 years old, a farmer, as he stepped aside to let the machine pass in the road.

Thomas was taken to Muncie last night and on to Michigan City today for safekeeping, as the feeling against him here and at Upland, the home of the Stouts, is great.

The grand jury, which convened today, also was expected to take up the investigation of the case at once.

Thomas, before being taken away, explained his act by saying that he was startled by the sudden appearance of the machine and threw up his hands accidentally letting the bucket fly into the machine. Members of the Stout party, however, assert that Thomas cursed them as he let go of the bucket.

Farmers' Attention.

We have a stock of Farm Implements consisting of Blue Bird Plows, Valcan Chill Tearing Plows, Peg-Tooth and Disc Harrows, Single and Two-row Corn Drills, One and two-horse Cultivators, Single and Double Shovel Plows and anything else in the implement line you may need. We also have three Weber Road Wagons and one Runabout Buggy. All this will be sold on regular terms. Don't forget we still handle the established Jones Brand Fertilizer.

W. E. ELLIS & BRO.,
Hartford, Ky.

FARM DEPARTMENT

Facts About the Tomato.

The tomato, the garden vegetable that is now so popular and so common in our gardens, was not always so. It was once feared, as it was considered poison. There was much prejudice against this vegetable and it took many years to remove it from superstition and make it popular as it is.

The tomato is a native of South America. It was known and cultivated by the natives of that country before the country was discovered. A description of Tournefort in 1700 would seem to show that some of the large, smooth varieties like Livingston's Stone were known fully 200 years ago.

The name "tomato," according to Tracy, is derived from the Aztec word "Xitomate" or "Zitotomate." The vegetable is still known as "tomate" in continental Europe.

Tracy states that the first mention he finds of the tomato in this country was in Virginia where it was grown for culinary purpose as early as 1781. A Frenchman in Philadelphia made most earnest efforts to get the people to use tomatoes as a food in 1788, but with very little success.

Being a native of that part of South America where climatic conditions are uniformly favorable for continuous growth through the season, the tomato has become very susceptible to extremes in cold or drought. It is said that when the plants are once injured slightly by unfavorable conditions they never overcome it fully, but may survive and produce fruit, though generally of inferior quality.

The tomato under our conditions in Texas and the Southwest, especially in the black land belt, has a tendency to produce vine or plant growth at the expense of fruit. To reduce this, acid phosphate and potash should be used as a fertilizer on such soils early in the season before the plants are set.

Good cultivation, staking and pruning are necessary for large, smooth, highly-flavored fruit. Where one has but a small patch an enormous yield may be made by taking pains with the plants.

One way to stake is to drive a stake down by the side of the plant and tie the plant to it with a cloth string. Another method is to drive two stakes one on each side of the plant and bind the plant to the two stakes. Some gardeners stake the rows by driving a few stakes on both sides of the rows and connecting them with wire or strong cords, thus holding the branches off the ground so the fruits will not rot.

In pruning remove all the large branches leaving but one main stem. Keep the plants balanced by pruning when young. Some pinch out the leaf buds not wanted, removing the laterals that are out of place, and if the fruit buds seem too numerous, thin them also. More data is needed as to pruning. Why not prune one plant and by its side leave one unpruned on several rows to note the difference? Even this would not be conclusive as the season this year might not be such as would prove that pruning or leaving alone would be best under ordinary conditions. But this is the way to test the matter under your conditions.

Indians as Corn Growers.

The fact is not often referred to, but it is important nevertheless, that we are greatly indebted to the Indians for one of our leading crops, Indian Corn. We are reminded by Clark Wissler, curator of anthropology in the Museum of Natural History, New York, that maize culture, by which is meant corn growing, "is a fine example of a borrowed culture-trait." Writing to the American Journal of Sociology, Wissler mentions many practices in corn growing now in use that have undergone very little change since we got them from the Indians.

One of these practices in corn culture is planting corn in hills. The Indians planted this way, dropping several kernels in a hill three or four feet apart and covering by hand. It is noticeable that this primitive method was used for hundreds of years and even now "hill planting is the way on thousands of farms in this country, although the method of seeding has improved to make use of machinery."

The Indians were said to hoe the soil up and pull it around the plants. This was our method for years. Farmers now often throw the soil around the plants when the corn is laid-by. Experience and investigation have shown that this is poor culture, often detrimental but some are not ready to change to flat cultivation and a shallow soil mulch.

The practice of using a corn husker, it is said, originated with the Indians. They used a bone to husk, but our fore-fathers used an iron husking-pin. In earlier times white farmers used a boy or a wood husker.

The Indians gave us the method

of planting beans and squashes in the corn as companion crops. We have enlarged this idea as we have found that in addition to the greater yield from an acre of land some of these crops improve the soil—the legumes such as peas, beans, peanuts, etc. Fertilization by putting a fish under the hills of corn has been enlarged upon also, since we have learned the use of manure and fertilizer.

We still enjoy some of the Indian's ways of cooking corn. The Indian names as "hominy," "succatash" and roasting ears will not be lost from our literature. The Algonquin tribes it is said, prepared and stirred "mush" much like farmers' wives today. We eat lye-hominy, mush and enjoy roasting ears, many of us without thinking who gave us the custom.—Farm and Ranch.

Saving Irish Potatoes.

The land that is now in spring crop Irish potatoes may be planted in another garden or truck crop with fair expectations. One of the legumes such as snap beans, teparies, lima beans, cowpeas suitable for table use would be a good crop to follow the Irish potatoes.

Care should be taken in digging Irish potatoes. The tubers should be mature but had best be taken up promptly after they are ready to dig. The time to dig can be told readily by the tops' falling over and the foliage turning yellow as a result of maturity.

Of course the potato digger is the implement to use in harvesting Irish potatoes when one has a large crop like those who raise "spuds" for market. For the small patch in the garden a turn plow or a sweep may be ample. Digging with a grub hoe is hard work and few gardeners will enjoy it.

The tubers are generally taken to a cool place as soon as possible as the hot sun should not shine on them after they are dug. The tubers should be assorted, put in baskets and handled carefully. Bruised tubers will not keep.

The tubers should be put in a cool place and spread out so that they will not touch. Then if air-slacked lime be sprinkled over them there will be far less likelihood of rot developing. Notice the tubers occasionally and remove specimens that show indications of decay.—Farm and Ranch.

Ground Alfalfa For Hogs.

Ground Alfalfa is acceptable feed especially for the brood sow. Often considerable difficulty is experienced in getting the sow to eat enough alfalfa to make economical gains, it is fed in a rack.

A few years ago the Iowa station fed ear corn only to some gilts, while others received ear corn and alfalfa in a rack. The average weight of the pigs from sows receiving corn only was 1.74 pounds, while it was 2.25 pounds where alfalfa was allowed in the rack. The young gilts ate 1.11 pounds of alfalfa daily per head on the average. The strength of the pigs was manifestly in favor of the alfalfa lot, there being 89 per cent of very strong pigs farrowed as compared to 68 per cent where corn only was used. Charging the alfalfa at \$10 a ton and corn at 50 cents a bushel the cost of the new born pigs in the corn-only lot was 41 cents and in the alfalfa lot 26 cents; the pigs were stronger even though made more cheaply.—Farmers Home Journal.

BLIND TIGER OPERATOR DRAWS RECORD FINE

Stanford, Ky., May 29.—So far as known the heaviest fine ever inflicted in a court in Kentucky for violation of the local option laws was assessed in the Lincoln Circuit Court today against Charley Reid, a white man of Milledgeville, in the western end of this county, who was handed \$3,000 and costs by a jury for conducting a blind tiger. On a second case Reid got off light, the jury fining him only \$100 and forty days in jail.

Reid proved so clever evidence to convict him could not be secured save when Uncle Sam got him last year for failing to take out a government license.

When the Rev. Enos Waggoner, Methodist pastor at Moreland, brought down a witness against Reid to go before the grand jury Reid's father, John Reid, caught the youth in an unguarded moment and spirited him away in a buggy. A warrant for the elder Reid was secured at once and Sheriff Weatherford deputized the Rev. Dr. Waggoner and the Rev. D. M. Walker, the Christian church pastor here, as special deputy sheriffs to arrest the elder Reid and bring back the witness. The latter proved too fleet of foot for them, however, but they brought back Reid, who was hauled into court immediately and fined \$200.—Louisville Evening Post.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Bits of Humor.

Nurse—"The patient in room 8 is light-headed."
Doctor—Delirious or blond?

A physician, while attending an obstetrical case, where the pay is not considered good, when asked, "Doctor, is the child marked in any way?" answers, "It has only one little mark about it, but you can easily remove that."

"What is that, doctor?"
"It is marked 'C. O. D.'"

"Witherspoon thought it was a good chance to get some medical aid without paying for it."

"How do you do this morning, Colonel?" asked Dr. Sooner.

"Poorly, Doctor, poorly. For some time past I have been suffering from weakness. As you can see, I can hardly walk. What shall I take, Doctor?"

"Take a taxi," replied the Doctor, gruffly, as he strode off.

"Doctor," said he, "I'm a victim of insomnia. I can't sleep if there's the least noise, such as a cat on the back fence, for instance."

"This powder will be effective," replied the physician, after compounding a prescription.

"When do I take it, Doctor?"
"You don't take it. You give it to the cat in a little milk."

Patient—Shall I have to give up beer, Doctor?

Doctor—No, I shan't forbid it to you.

Patient—It's extraordinary, Doctor, what confidence I have in you.—The Medical Pickwick.—Medical Journal.

Forethought.

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"Woman," cried the big, burly husband, shaking his finger wildly, "I can read you like a book!"
"That may be," retorted the little wife, with a queer smile, "but you can't shut me up."—Stray Stories.

Marion was saying her prayers. "And please, God," she petitioned, "make Boston the capital of Vermont."

"Why, Marion," said her shocked mother, "what made you say that?"

Marion settled herself in bed. "Cause," she answered, "I made it that way in my zamination paper to-day, and I want it to be right."—Chicago Public.

Applicant—"No, ma'am, I could not work where there's children."
Madame: "But we advertised for a girl who understood children."

Applicant: "Oh, I understand 'em, ma'am. That's why I wouldn't work where they are."—Chicago Herald.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Notice to Creditors.

The McHenry Deposit Bank having been placed in the hands of the Banking Commission of Kentucky all patrons having claims against said bank (now in liquidation) are notified to present same, properly proven, to the undersigned at McHenry, Ky., on or before the 5th day of July, 1916.

L. C. BROWN,
Special Deputy Banking Com'r.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

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The Editor.

Administrator's Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of W. H. Ward, deceased, will please present same to me at my residence, one-half mile from Beech Valley church, in Magan precinct, Ohio county, Kentucky, or to Heavrin & Kirk, Attorneys, Hartford, Ky., properly verified as required by law, within 60 days hereafter. This May 10, 1916.

H. A. MIDKIFF,
Administrator of the Estate of W. H. Ward.

McHenry Delinquent School Tax List.

By virtue of authority vested in me as Tax collector for the McHenry Graded School District, Ohio county, Ky., I will on Monday, June 6, 1916, expose at public sale the following lands, or so much thereof as may be necessary to produce the sums required, viz:

1913, E. G. Burton Heirs one lot, J. L. Burton, agt.	4.18
1914, Same	4.18
1915, Same	4.18
1913, Mrs. Mary Cargal, 10 acres land	3.79
1913, George Smith, one lot ..	14.52
1913, James A. Austin, one lot ..	6.57
1914, Same	6.57
1915, Same	6.57
1913, N. P. Brown, one lot ..	7.36
1915, Same	8.27
1913, Gaither Heirs, one lot ..	4.18
1915, Same	3.39
1913, Ollis Hawes, one lot ..	5.38
1915, Same	6.18
1913, Frank Penman, one lot ..	2.99
1914, Same	1.40
1913, S. A. Reynolds, one lot ..	9.58
1913, Charlie Stewart, one lot ..	4.58
1913, Williams Mines Amusement Co., one lot	4.77
1914, Same	4.77
1915, Same	4.77
1913, G. C. Wakeland, one lot ..	4.58
1913, Virgil Wise, one lot ..	3.79
1914, Same	3.79
1915, Same	3.79
1914, H. M. Maddox, one lot ..	4.58
1915, Same	4.58
1914, Mrs. Rosa Maddox, one lot	4.97
1915, Same	4.97
1914, Jane Gwynn	4.18
1915, Same	4.18
1914, Roscoe Calloway, one lot ..	5.38
1914, Levi Givens, 50 acres berlain's Limestone two or three times land	7.76
1915, Same	6.62
1914, Almer Porter, one lot ..	4.18
1914, Robert Trail, one lot, Pr't 34	3.38
1914, Thomas Baker, one lot, Pr't 14	3.78
1915, Arthur Dowell, one lot ..	4.58
1915, H. B. Geary, one lot ..	4.89
1915, Mrs. Martha Jones, one lot	4.97
1915, Isaac Parriott, one lot ..	5.68
1915, Mrs. Cynthia Shull, one lot	2.20
1915, James Stevens, two lots ..	4.97
1915, R. P. Beck, 45 acres land ..	30.57
1915, Calvin Craddock, one lot ..	4.58
1915, Christian Heirs, one lot, L. L. Stewart agt.	3.79
1915, D. M. Duncan estate, one lot, W. Duncan agt ..	16.51
1915, R. A. Pierce	8.04
1915, E. P. Rogers, one lot ..	6.57
1915, John H. Reynolds, one lot ..	5.50
1915, S. A. Reynolds, one lot ..	10.58
1915, Robt. Raines, one lot ..	3.79
1915, Mrs. Amelia Southard, one lot	3.39
1915, Mrs. J. D. Simpson, one lot	3.39
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STORIES FROM THE AMERICAN HISTORY

ABRAHAM LINCOLN WAS ONCE CHALLENGED TO A DUEL— CALLED OFF.

The code duello was restored to very generally in all the states of our country during the early part of the past century, and very frequently for what appears to have been merely a trivial offense. The State of Illinois was no exception, and many duels were fought in that State, the last fatal one occurring in February, 1819, between Alonzo C. Stuart and William Bennett, which resulted in the death of Stuart.

Abraham Lincoln, who later became President, was one of the victims in an absurd duel which resulted in little more than bluff. The origin of his difficulty was politics. In an article published in the Sagamo Journal of September 2, 1842, Mr. Lincoln made a bitter attack on some actions of the State officials relative to the collection of taxes.

The article was decidedly rough in language, and written in a jesting style apt to cut deep. Special reference was made to State Auditor Shields, who was held up to ridicule personally as well as officially. Mr. Shields, being of Irish blood, was very much aroused. Seeking the editor of the paper, he demanded the name of the anonymous writer of the objectionable article and it was given him.

Mr. Shields sent Mr. Lincoln a note bristling with the desire to fight. Finally Shields dispatched a formal challenge, naming Gen. Whiteside as his personal friend, to which Lincoln immediately replied with Dr. Merriam as his representative. The two friends met and secretly agreed upon some terms by which the hostile meeting should be avoided.

Mr. Lincoln had business that called him to Jacksonville, and before his departure he left a memorandum in which he explained his connection with the article in the Journal. If this was not satisfactory, a meeting could not be avoided, the arrangements of the fight were to be:

"First—Weapons, cavalry, broadswords of the largest size.

"Second—Position, a plank ten feet long and from nine to twelve inches broad, as a line between the contestants, neither to pass his foot over on forfeit of his life. Next a line drawn on the ground on either side and parallel with it, each at the distance of the whole length of the sword and three feet additional from the plank, each to fight in this limit on his own side of the board.

"Third—Time, on Thursday evening at 5 o'clock, if possible, but in no case to be at a greater distance than Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

"Fourth—Place, within three miles of Alton."

With our later knowledge of Abraham Lincoln's propensities, one is tempted to perceive a joke cropping out in the position thus gravely described for the combatants, for it looks as though both were thus placed safely out of harm's way, where they could beat the air with their trenchant blades forever and do no damage. But it might be well to remember in this connection the unusual length of Mr. Lincoln's arm, and feel some sympathy for his opponent.

However, Shields was determined to fight, and all parties concerned left for the supposed field of carnage. But peace was already hovering in the air above them. Outside friends, uniting with the distressed seconds, succeeded in harmonizing all difficulties, and the ridiculous affair was ended without the exchanging of a blow.

It was evident that Lincoln did not desire the death of his adversary, but did not intend to be materially injured himself. Lincoln felt keenly the stupidity of the whole affair, but thought he could not avoid the fight without degradation; while to Shields such a fracas was a delight.

The duel came to its end naturally. Shields allowed himself to be persuaded to withdraw his offensive challenge. Lincoln then made the explanation he had been ready to make from the beginning; avowing the one letter he had written, and saying that it had been printed solely for political effect, and without any intention of injuring Shields.

Lincoln's quarrel with Shields was his last personal encounter. In later years it became his duty to give an official reprimand to a young officer, who had been court-martialed for a quarrel with one of his associates. The reprimand was probably the gentlest on record:

"Quarrel not at all. No man resolved, to make the most of himself can spare time for personal contention. Still less can he afford to take the consequences including the vitiation of his temper and the loss of self-control. Better give your path to a dog than be bitten by him in conest-

ing for the right. Even killing the dog would not cure the bite."—Louisville Evening Post.

One winter evening in Dublin, when a water inspector was going round, he stopped at one of the mains in a bush street to turn off the water during some repairs. He had just applied the handle to the tap and begun turning when a somewhat unsteady hand was placed on his shoulder, and he was confronted by a man in evening clothes, who, judging by his tone and manner, had been imbibing much too freely.

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MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky.
W. H. Barnes, Plaintiff.
vs.—Sale.

Buncum Render and Myrtle Render, Defendants.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the October term, 1915, in the above cause, for the sum of \$100, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the day of sale, to-wit: 1915, until paid, and the cost of the above styled action, together with the cost of this sale (Samuel W. Hines having paid to W. H. Barnes, the plaintiff, the sum of \$100, and the interest on said sum of money, and the cost of the above styled action this sale is made for his use and benefit) I will offer for sale by public auction, to the highest and best bidder, at the court house door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday, June 5, 1916, about the hour of one o'clock p. m., upon a credit of six and 12 months the following described property to-wit:

A certain house and lot located in the village of Hayti, Ohio County, Ky., on the north side of the Hartford and Leitchfield public road, and bounded on the East by Sam Hines' property; on the West by Mitchell Taylor's property; on the North by Lydia Taylor, et al; on the South by the Hartford and Leitchfield public road.

Being same property conveyed to Buncum Render and Myrtle Render by Sam Hines and wife, by deed dated—day of—1908; or a sufficiency thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security immediately after sale and a lien will be retained as further security.
This May 16th, 1916.

OTTO C. MARTIN,
Master Commissioner.
W. H. Barnes, Heavrin & Kirk, Attorneys.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky.
Christian Starnier et al, Pliffs.
vs.—Sale.

Mary E. Summey et al, Defendants.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the February term, 1916, in the above styled action, for the purpose of a division and the allotment of dower interest to the defendant, Mary E. Bennett, I will offer for sale by public auction at the Court house door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday the 5th day of June, 1916 between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. upon a credit of six months the following described property to-wit:

A lot or parcel of ground located on the waters of Green River in Ohio County, Ky., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone corner to lot 1; thence with river N. 61 E. 19 1/2 poles to a stone, corner to lot 3; thence S. 53 1/2 W. 272 poles to a stone; thence S. 31 1/2 W. 50 poles to a stone, corner to lot 1; thence N. 45 1/2 W. 286 poles to the beginning, containing about 59 acres.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with good and sufficient security, bearing interest from date of sale at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and a lien will be retained upon the said tract of land as further security.

This 16th day of May, 1916.
OTTO C. MARTIN,
Master Commissioner.
Walker Wilkins, Attorney.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky.
Mary E. Greer, et al, Pliffs.
vs.—Sale.

B. F. Greer, et al, Defendants.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale directed to me in the above styled cause entered at the February term, 1916, and corrected at the May term, 1916, of the Ohio Circuit Court for the purpose of maintaining and furnishing support to the plaintiff, Mary E. Greer, and the paying of any debts against the estate of Samuel W. Greer, and a division between the heirs of the said Samuel W. Greer, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of 6 and 12 months, at the court house door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday, June 5, 1916, about the hour of one o'clock p. m. the following described property to-wit:

A certain tract of land lying and being in Ohio county, Ky., on the waters of South Panther creek and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at two beeches and white oak, corner to Geo. Westerfield's tract thence 11 W. 235 poles to two beeches, small dogwood and sweet gum, corner to Wm. Nelson; thence N. 29 E. 46 poles to a large dead popular and two beeches; thence S.

78 E. 50 poles to a stake in Roach's line; thence N. 12 E. 192 poles to a stake; thence N. 78 W. 130 poles to the beginning, containing 177 1/2 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed to Minerva Greer by Wm. H. Cooper, by deed dated Feb. 25, 1854, and recorded in deed book—page 305, Ohio County Court Clerk's office, from this boundary however, the following described land sold to Jas. Westerfield by deed dated Nov. 6, 1879, and recorded in deed book 2, page 135, Ohio County Clerk's office, and beginning at a stone near a fallen white oak, a fallen and dead beech, N. W. corner of the above tract; thence S. 12 W. 25 poles to a stone on the Whitesville and Bells Run road; thence S. 77 E. 129 poles to a white oak and two small hickories in the original line; thence with said line N. 12 E. 25 poles to two large black oaks and sassafras, the N. E. corner of the original tract; thence with a line of said tract N. 77 W. 129 poles to the beginning. Containing 20 acres, more or less. So that the land herein ordered sold constitutes the remainder of the tract herein above described and contains 157 1/2 acres, more or less.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with good and sufficient security immediately after the sale, and a lien shall be retained for further security.
This May 16, 1916.

OTTO C. MARTIN,
Master Commissioner.
Woodward, Crowe, Ringo, Glenn & Simmerman, Attorneys.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky.
Caleb Owen, et al, Plaintiffs.
vs.—Sale.

Martha Loyd Loyd, et al, Defendants.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the February term, 1916, for the purpose of allotting to Florence Owen \$500 homestead interest and a division of the proceeds among the heirs and the payment of all costs herein, I will offer for sale by public auction, to the highest and best bidder, at the court house door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday, the 5th day of June, 1916, about one o'clock p. m. upon a credit of 6 and 12 months, the following described property to-wit:

A tract of land in Ohio county, Kentucky, beginning at a stone northeast corner to Zion Church lot, and also corner to Jim Loyd's farm; thence N. 1 1/2 E. 115 1/2 poles to a stone in the Hartford and Hawesville public road and N. E. corner to Henry Lyons' farm; thence South 86 1/4 E. with public road 80 poles to a stone; thence S. 44 E. 12 poles to a stone; thence S. 84 1/2 E. 28 poles to a white oak and an elm on the south side of said road; thence S. 55 E. 102 poles to a stone in the west line of Gabe Kirk; thence N. 88 1/2 W. with his line, S. 5 W. 39 poles to a stone S. W. corner to said Kirk; thence N. 88 1/2 west with the line of H. S. Royal, Casuar Hartford and Jesse Loyd 218 poles to the beginning containing 106 1/2 acres, more or less, and being a part of two tracts of land conveyed to Lewis and Jane Owen by John Haynes and wife, September 26, 1849, deed recorded in deed book L, page 339, and 340, Ohio County Court Clerk's office, and also a conveyance of an undivided interest in same land by J. G. Owen and J. L. Owen, etc., to R. L. Owen and Millard Owen, deed recorded in deed book 27, page 333, Ohio County Court Clerk's office, and dated November 17, 1904. R. L. Owen obtained said land from Millard Owen, by deed dated February 23, 1911, and recorded in deed book 39, page 363, Ohio County Court Clerk's office.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security immediately after sale and a lien will be retained as further security.
This May 16th, 1916.

OTTO C. MARTIN,
Master Commissioner.
Heavrin & Kirk, and John B. Wilson, Attorneys.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky.
A. E. Pate, Assignee, Plaintiff.
vs.—Sale.

A. L. Stevens, et al, Defendants.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the February term, 1912, in the above cause, for the sum of \$297.94, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from the 1st day of January, 1912, until paid, and all costs herein, I will offer for sale by public auction, to the highest and best bidder, at the court house door, in Hartford, Ky., on Monday, June 5th, 1916, about the hour of one o'clock p. m. upon a credit of 3 and 6 months, the following described property to-wit:

One yearling mare (July 6, 1908) named Peacock; one white spotted cow, 5 years old (July 6, 1908); one sorrel horse, 15 hands high, 4 years old (January 1, 1908); one bay mare, 7 years old, (May 6, 1907); one bay mare, 3 years old (February 14, 1912); one bay horse mule, 6 years old (February 14, 1912); one three year old horse (February 14, 1912); one two year old horse (August 19, 1907) or a sufficiency thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security immediately after sale, and a lien will be retained as further security.
This May 16, 1916.

OTTO C. MARTIN,
Master Commissioner.
H. P. Taylor, Attorney.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky.
J. Newman Hardin, et al, Plaintiffs.
vs.—Sale.

Berry May, et al, Defendants.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the May term, 1916, in the above cause, for the purpose of paying J. B. Bruner who holds a first lien, the sum of \$561.80, with 6 per cent interest per annum thereon from

March 1st, 1914, until paid, and for the purpose of paying J. Newman Hardin who holds a second lien, the sum of \$185, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from March 1st, 1912, until paid, and for the purpose of paying J. B. Chambers who holds a third lien, the sum of \$53.20, with interest thereon from March 1st, 1914, until paid, together with all the costs of the above styled law suit and the cost of this sale, I will offer for sale by public auction, to the highest and best bidder, at the court house door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday, the 5th day of June, 1916, at about the hour of one o'clock p. m., upon a credit of 6 and 12 months, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land in Ohio county, Ky., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a sweet gum and dogwood and a stone on a branch in E. W. Lyons' line; thence S. 77 1/2 W. 104 1/2 poles to a stone by a sycamore tree; thence (supposed to be) S. 125 1/2 poles to a stone on the bank of the creek by a sycamore tree; thence up said creek to Milligan's line to E. W. Lyons' corner; thence with said Lyons' line following a branch to the beginning, containing 50 acres, more or less, and being same land conveyed by J. D. Haynes and wife to J. B. Bruner on the 31st day of January, 1893, which deed is of record in the office of the clerk of the Ohio County Court in deed book B, page 56, and conveyed to by J. W. Bruner and wife to O. C. Rice, by deed dated August 18, 1905, and recorded in deed book 30 page 457, Ohio County Court Clerk's office; and conveyed to J. B. Chambers by O. C. Rice and wife by deed dated June 10, 1910, recorded in deed book 38, page 303, Ohio County Court Clerk's office; conveyed to J. Newman Hardin by J. B. Chambers and wife, by deed dated 12th day of February, 1912, and of record in deed book 43, page 356 Ohio County Court Clerk's office; conveyed to Berry May and Albert May by J. Newman Hardin and wife, by deed dated November 8, 1913, of record in deed book 42, page 288 Ohio County Court Clerk's office, or a sufficiency thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security immediately after sale and a lien will be retained as further security.
This 16th day of May, 1916.

OTTO C. MARTIN,
Master Commissioner.
Heavrin & Kirk, and J. P. Sanderfur, Attorneys.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky.
Evansville Brewing Association, Pl'ff.
vs.—Sale.

J. R. Sowders and Minnie E. Sowders, Defendants.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the May term, 1916, in the above cause for the sum of \$250 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from March, 23rd, 1915, until paid; and the further sum of \$250 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from Sept. 23rd, 1915, until paid; for all costs herein, including the cost of this sale, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder, at the Court House door, in Hartford, Ky., on Monday the 5th day of June, 1916, at about the hour of one o'clock p. m., upon a credit of six and twelve months, the following described property, to-wit:

The following described real estate in Ohio county Kentucky; lots numbered thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), and eighteen (18) in block D; ten (10), eleven (11), and twelve (12) in block I; thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), and sixteen (16) in block K; nine (9) in block J; nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in block Q; twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), and twenty-four (24) in block R; all of said lots being in the Sowder addition to the town of Beaver Dam, being the same property conveyed to the mortgagor, J. R. Sowders, by Samuel Sowders, by deed dated August, 3rd, 1905 and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Ohio County Court in Deed Book 30, page 496. Or a sufficiency thereof to make the sums of money ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security immediately after sale and a lien will be retained as further security.
This May, 16th, 1916.

OTTO C. MARTIN,
Master Commissioner.
Ernest Woodward, Attorney.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court, Kentucky.
Mary Render, Plaintiff.
vs.—Sale.

J. H. Napier and Mary Napier, Defendants.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, rendered at the May term, 1916, in the above cause for the sum of \$33, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 13th day of March, 1914, until paid, and the cost of the above styled action and the cost of a former sale, and the cost of this sale, I will offer for sale by public auction at the court house door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday, the 5th day of June, 1916, about one o'clock p. m., upon a credit of 6 months, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain lot or parcel of land lying near Echols, Ohio county, Ky., being the same lot conveyed by J. F. Porter and wife to J. H. Napier and Mary Napier on the 28th day of April 1913, deed recorded in deed book 46, page 11, Ohio County Court Clerk's office, or a sufficiency thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security immediately after sale.
This 16th day of May, 1916.

OTTO C. MARTIN,
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HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging
Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave
Up in Despair. Husband
Came to Rescue.

Patron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without tiring me, and am doing all my work."

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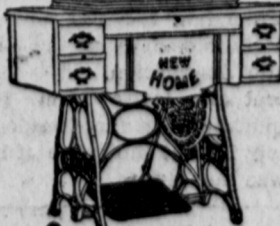
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UNCLE SAMUEL TO FASHION NEW COINS

DIMES, QUARTERS AND HALVES
TO BE IN NEW DESIGN
AFTER JULY 1.

Washington, May 30.—Dimes, quarters and half dollars of new design will be minted after July 1, Secretary McAdoo announced today. For the first time since 1891 a change will be effected in these pieces. The announcement disclosed that the half dollar has fallen practically into disuse and the new design was selected with hope of restoring it to more general circulation, it was indicated. Under the new coinage each piece will be of different design. The dollar and dime models were made by Adolph A. Weinman, and the quarter dollar by Herman A. MacNeil. Both are sculptors of note.

The face of the new half dollar bears a full length of Liberty, with a background of the American flag flying to the breeze. The Goddess is striding toward the dawn of a new day, carrying laurel and oak branches symbolic of civil and military glory. The reverse side shows an eagle perched high upon a mountain crag, wings unfolded. Growing from a rift in the rock is a sapling of mountain pine, symbolic of America. The design of the twenty-five-cent piece is intended to typify the awakening of the country to its own protection. Secretary McAdoo's announcement stated.

Liberty, a full-length figure, is shown stepping toward the country's gateway, bearing upraised a shield from which the covering is being drawn. The right hand bears an olive branch of peace. Above the head is the word "Liberty" and below the feet "1916." The reverse bears a figure of an eagle in full flight, wings extended, and the inscription "United States of America and E Pluribus Unum." Both the half dollar and the quarter bear the phrase "In God We Trust."

The design of the dime is simple, Liberty with a winged cap is shown on the obverse and on the reverse is a design of a bundle of rods and a battle axe, symbolic of unity, "wherein lies the nation's strength."

County Court Notes.
Herman Mitchell an infant four months of age, and Forest Mitchell 5 years of age were, by order of the Ohio County Court, entered on June 30th, committed to the Kentucky Orphans Home Society.

J. W. Mercer was recently appointed Administrator of the estate of Mrs. Mary Mercer deceased.

J. C. Ralph recently qualified as Administrator of the estate of Jas. M. Ralph deceased.

Marriage license since last report. James Roy Vaughn, Chatham, Ill., to Gomie Thomas, Olaton, Ky.

C. F. Whiteman, Hartford, Ky., to Viola Griffin, Hartford.

Eddie Lee Douglas, Cromwell, Ky., to Addie Rentrow, Cromwell.

O. P. Crowder, Rosine, Ky., to Lucille St. Clair, Rosine.

John Lanham, Fordsville, Ky., to Sallie Bland, Fordsville.

The Ohio County Board of Education was in session on last Monday and Tuesday. The board at this meeting purchased supplies for the ensuing common schools for ensuing school year and attended to various other business of importance.

HEAVY CASUALTY FOR BRITISH DURING MAY

London, May 31.—British casualties in May were much heavier than in either of the two preceding months.

The total from all fields of operation as compiled from published lists is 1,767 officers and 28,470 men.

The total in March, including officers and men, was 20,424, and in April 20,511.

THOUGHT HE WAS ROCKING ROCKEFELLER'S HOME

New York, May 31.—Carrying a leather bag filled with stones Seabees R. Fowdrbes, a wood carver of Yonkers, N. Y., stopped in front of the home of William K. Vanderbilt, on Fifth avenue today and began to

hurl stones through the windows. A policeman arrested him as he was throwing the fourth stone.

The police said Fowdrbes declared he believed he was throwing the stones at the home of John D. Rockefeller, whom he held responsible for the suffering of the poor.

When told it was Mr. Vanderbilt's house he had attacked, Fowdrbes grinned and said "You police can't fool me. I know it's Rockefeller's house."

JUDGMENT FOR WOMAN AGAINST BANDIT VILLA

El Paso, Tex., May 31.—Francisco Villa, Mexican bandit, today is liable to Francisco Flores for \$2,275, according to a verdict returned in the District Court here yesterday. Miss Flores, a Mexican woman, sued to recover that amount paid Villa in return for a promise that he would spare the life of her brother, sentenced to death by Villa on a charge of treason. Despite the payments of money Flores was executed in February, 1914. In filing her suit Miss Flores attached Villa's personal motor car, then in El Paso, and this was held as security pending the outcome of the suit.

Fiscal Court Rejects Bids.

The Fiscal Court of Ohio county with all members present, was in session yesterday to receive and consider bids for the construction of two concrete bridges on the Hartford and Ceralvo road and for the construction of proposed pike or macadamized road on the Hartford and Morgan-town road. There being no bid which the Court felt justified in accepting, all were therefore rejected. We have been told that the Court is seriously considering the construction of this road and these bridges by direct supervision.

PAYROLL \$1,351,053.03

Kentucky's 1920 Employees Draw Average Salary of \$703.67

Kentucky's 1920 employees draw an average salary of \$703.67. This includes the pay of the Governor, Secretary of State, Auditor, Treasurer, Attorney General, State Superintendent, Clerk of the Court of Appeals, Commissioner of Agriculture, Appellate Judges and their office forces, heads of the State University and Normal School faculties; members of the State Board of Control, Prison Commissioners, State Hospital officers and attendants, prison officers and guards, game, forestry, geological survey, State Board of Health, tuberculosis, banking, insurance, insurance rating board, agriculture, State Fair, automobile, Capitol custodian, historical, hotel, library, railroad, public road, racing, mining inspector and examiner, fire marshals, pension and printing departments, military department, Home for Blind, Home for the Deaf, the Confederate Home, Children's Home Societies, Home for Incubables, Kentucky Normal and Industrial Institute, the State experiment station and the State Board of Equalization.

The payroll of the State, according to the report ordered by the General Assembly and just completed by State Inspector and Examiner Nat B. Sewell, is \$1,351,053.03, aside from certain part-time employees in some of the departments engaged by the day. Some of these departments pay their own way.

Added to the payroll besides these are the thirty-five Circuit Judges and thirty-five Commonwealth's Attorneys, who bring the number of employees up to 1,970 and the payroll to \$1,536,553.03.

CHINESE PRESIDENT POISONED, CARLED TO SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, May 30.—Yuan Shi Kai, president of the Chinese republic, has been poisoned and is in a critical condition, according to advices from Shanghai, received here today at the headquarters of the Chinese Republic Association.

Recent dispatches from Peking have indicated that the President was seriously ill, but the cause of his illness was not given.

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LATEST WAR NEWS

Monday

Greece.—The Bulgarian invasion of Greek Macedonia has reached to Demir-Hissar and from that town forces of Bulgars are said to be making their way southeastward toward the Aegean seaport of Kavalla, northeast of Saloniki. Unofficial estimates place the number of the invaders at 25,000. Along the Struma River the Greeks have evacuated the forts of Rupel, Dragotin, Spatovo and Kanevo to the Bulgarians, without offering resistance.

Coincidental with the Bulgarian invasion comes a report that the rejuvenated Serbian army—the ancient enemy of the Bulgars—has landed at Saloniki to re-enforce the British and French troops already there. This force has been variously estimated at from 80,000 to 100,000 officers and men.

France.—Occupation by the French of portions of three craters formed by the explosion of German mines in the Argonne is announced by Paris. Regarding the battle for Verdun, it reports a lively artillery duel to the west of the Meuse. In Upper Alsace the French checked two attempts of the Germans to advance near Altkirch.

Tuesday

Italy.—Italians are holding back Austrians from further advances in the Tyrol and inflicting heavy losses on them by counter attacks.

France.—Germans have captured 300 meters of trenches from the French near the village of Cumieres, on the Meuse. Fighting of the greatest intensity is reported around Hill 340 and between Cumieres and Le Mort Homme.

England.—Since the commencement of the war 550 persons have been killed and 1,616 injured in the British Isles by German attacks by sea and air, according to a statement made in Parliament by the British Home Secretary.

Wednesday

France.—Two miles of French lines, from the southern ridge of Le Mort Homme to the Cumieres village, have been taken, according to Berlin reports partly confirmed by Paris, and the Germans have pressed forward in the Thiaumont wood, northeast of Verdun. Berlin says 1,313 prisoners have been taken.

Italy.—The Austrians have begun another attack in the Posina region. To the south they were repulsed after a desperate struggle, according to Rome.

Russia.—An offensive northeast of Augustinof resulted in the Teutons being driven back to their trenches.

Greek Macedonia.—The Germans are with the Bulgarians in an advance which, according to Berlin, is made as a protection against a surprise attack being planned.

Thursday

Mexico.—Immediate withdrawal of the American expeditionary force in Mexico is asked in the latest note from Gen. Carranza, handed to Secretary Lansing yesterday. The document declares that two bodies of American troops have entered Mexico without the consent of the de facto Government, and this action cannot be considered other than invasion, and that the professed friendly attitude of the American Government has been contradicted by these acts. It is also alleged that much of the trouble which has beset the Constitutionalists is due to the work of unpunished plotters who have operated in the United States, and the virtual embargo on shipments of munitions into Mexico.

France.—French troops at Le Mort Homme, northwest of Verdun, after a spirited attack, have captured a strongly organized position on the slopes, capturing 225 prisoners and seven machine guns. The town of Avocourt and Hill 304 are under heavy bombardment.

Italy.—Austrians have taken additional points of vantage from the Italians. Austrians claim to have captured 31,082 Italians and 298 cannon during the present offensive.

Russia.—Petrograd announces that invaders were ejected after they had captured a Russian position at Diarbekr.

WOULDN'T LET BOY PAY BROTHER'S FINE

While trying the case of John Cain, arrested for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, Judge Boldrick noticed the presence of Cain's sixteen-year-old brother in the court room. He caused the boy to be

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DEATH ENDS LIFE OF R. R. BUILDER

(Continued from First Page.)

getting American wheat and flour into Japan and China, where rice was the staple food.

His faith in the far east was rewarded as liberally as that in the northwest. It is estimated that the Pacific fleet now carries nearly \$50,000,000 worth of products to the Orient every year.

While Mr. Hill built up for himself and his associates an immense fortune, he also helped to create for the settlers along his lines a wealth of over five billion dollars in real property, which is represented by the value of the 400,000 farms and their 65,000,000 acres of improved land.

Upon his retirement at 69, the "streak of rust" he had bought 30 years before, had expanded to more than 6,000 miles and it was earning gross profits of more than \$66,000,000 a year, and carrying 15,000,000 tons of freight annually. He still retained a hand in the Great Northern's policy as chairman of the board of directors, while his son Louis, who had worked up from the humblest position of his father's railroad, became president.

The secret of the Hill success was no secret at all, according to Mr. Hill, and he had no new recipes to offer. "The man with the big opportunity today," he said, "is the man in the ranks." But the secret of failure he frequently declared to be extravagance. He regarded this as a national tendency, against which he strong-

ly set himself, particularly as concerned the natural resources.

During his active supervision of the Great Northern system, Mr. Hill oversaw almost every detail, to the wonder of all employees with whom he came in contact. A fugitive instance of his recognition in his own country is the story of a tourist who declares that there are afloat in the Swedish section of the northwest upwards of 10,000 different stories in Swedish dialect with "Yem Hell" as the centerpiece. Patrons of his lines have liked and disliked him in rapid alternation, for it was his point to have his way, not only where his road should run, but where his patrons should settle. This was part of his economic policy. He carried out a singular regularity in the location of branch lines, giving a minimum of short lines on which light trains were unavoidable. The principal text of his railway gospel was low grades, heavy power, large capacity cars, and big train loads on the main lines, and he began to preach this at a time when these things were held as visionary by most railroad men.

In contrast with the late E. H. Harriman, who outdid him in the extent of railway ownership, Mr. Hill was not only the financial head, but the practical head, of his great railway system. He was the chief promoter and president of the Northern Securities company, organized with a purpose to bring the Northern Pacific and Great Northern under one ownership, to which such opposition developed that a suit was brought in the United States circuit court, which decided that the acquisition was an illegal combination—affirmed in March 1904 by the United States supreme court.

S. O. KEOWN,
Sheriff Ohio County, Ky.